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"Our Town"

J. B. WHITE

At 11 p. m. Tuesday an old man died at Dorn in Holland. He was born in 1859 and therefore was nearly 82 years old. He believed in the Divine right of Kings and startled Europe some 30 years ago with imperistic speeches. He had an exalted notion of his imperial responsibility. The son of Crown Prince Frederick and Princess Victoria of England, he was Christened:

Friedrich Wilhelm Victor Albert. Most of us knew him as the Kaiser who owned Germany and who finally fell before the armies of America, England and France. He was called to the Throne of Germany in 1888 when his father died. He had a withered arm. The first thing he did was to dismiss Bismarck the greatest of German statesmen. Then followed a vigorous reign and secret preparations for war. He wanted a place in the sun for Germany. His country grew powerful. He had the second largest navy in the world and the greatest army ever assembled. He was related by blood to Czar Nicholas of Russia and King George of England. It was a fight among kinsfolk.

In September 1940 Neville Chamberlain was pleading with another German tyrant not to go to war. In late July 1914, Sir Edward Grey, the British Foreign Secretary, remained at his office until late in the night pleading with the Kaiser not to attack. The Arch Duke, Ferdinand, had been slain in Sarajova in Yugoslavia. The aging monarch, Francis Joseph of Austria, then more powerful than the Axis partner of today, was putty in the hands of Wilhelm. Russia was mobilizing and so on July 31st Germany declared war on Russia. Then followed a declaration of war on France and England. The story from that point on is the story of the world war.

Wilhelm won that war, only to lose it in the second battle of the Marne. Here the French inflicted casualties to the number of 750,000 in a single battle and the Kaiser whose navy had lost the battle of Jutland was through. Said a high German later "We knew we had lost the war when we were defeated in the Battle of the Marne."

The counter strokes that won also began near the Channel Ports when Sir Douglas Haig, pushed back and with German armies in 20 miles of Paris, issued his now famous order to his army: "Henceforth no man will yield an inch of ground, he will die where he stands. All we have and all that we stand for is at stake, our homes, our loved ones."

The military machine of Kaiser Wilhelm broke up on the shield of French Valor and the dogged determination of the British. Somewhere in between were the damdest bunch of fighting men ever got together in so short a time. They were the Americans. In 1917 Kaiser Wilhelm had brought American into the war. Italy, bought off by Britain and France cast her lot with the Allies. Japan too was fighting Germany. Russia had gone out under Bolshevism after Tannenberg and Communism had spread in Germany. Her man power exhausted, her food gone, Germany collapsed in November 1918. The Kaiser fled to Holland. He spent his last days in bitterness.

When Hitler took Holland the Kaiser was invited back to Germany. He declined. Said he was too old to be transplanted.

In the days of his glory he referred to the British army as contemptible. It was that. We had 36,000 men in 1917. We put more than a million men in France. Kaiser Wilhelm insulted Ambassador Walter Hines Page. The Kaiser got his face slapped, good American style in the presence of the general staff. So is the American way.

George Clemenceau, the Tiger of France, spat in Wilson's face at Versailles. Wilson wanted to be soft. The Tiger was hard. They buried him standing up in a grave hewn out of solid rock.

America tried to appease Germany in 1915 and 1916. Chamberlain armed with an umbrella fought the tanks at Munich. Woodrow Wilson wrote notes. Finally the Scotch Presbyterian got going. More and more Americans are now looking in

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ROBIN MOOR SUNK BY GERMAN

\$28,000 FOR HIGHWAY 190 IN MILAM COUNTY

Judge Jeff T. Kemp has been notified that the Highway Department has allocated \$28,000 for three miles on Highway No. 190 from the Brazos River at Port Sullivan to Branchville.

Allocations are complete for the highway from Hearne to the Brazos and now that the three miles are provided for the city of Hearne will have access to a large section of Milam county territory.

Cameron was subjected to the usual treatment in this case. No provision is made for completion of the road from Maysfield to Branchville. The county some months ago purchased the right of way and promises have been made to complete the road but thus far only portions of it have been completed.

The Highway Department is building a bridge across Little Brazos on the same highway. Milam county was still without any assurances of work for Highway 36 and 77.

\$72,636 FOR WILDCAT BRIDGE ON THE BRAZOS

Congressman Bob Poage, in a telegram to the publisher of The Herald late Monday said that he had obtained a grant of \$72,636 for actual construction for improvements to the banks of the Brazos at Wildcat Bridge in northeastern Milam county.

Here is the telegram from Congressman Poage: "Just received Presidential approval of WPA project for improvements to banks of Brazos River adjacent to Wildcat Bridge consisting of stopping banks, constructing headwalls and erosion checks, installing riprap and sodding, involving \$72,636 actual construction. The project awaits work order from San Antonio office."

This project is important to the bridge across the Brazos River near Calvert. This bridge is also located near Cross Roads northeast of Jones Prairie. The project will restore much of the banks and approaches and save the bridge from ultimate disuse.

When the telegram was received here there was instant appreciation of Congressman Poage's efforts in Washington. This is one of a number of such projects secured by Congressman Poage and Milam county has benefited well from his fine service in Congress.

The Wildcat Bridge is located in the Precinct of Commissioner Grady Stidham at Cameron.

Registrants Who Are Classified Should Stay Clear of Cupid

Registrants under the national selective service act who have received notice of their classification should not expect deferment from local boards if they marry after receiving notice of their status.

It has been pointed out by State Selective Service Headquarters that any change in the status of a registrant must be taken into consideration but discretion is lodged with each local board.

Now that all questionnaires have been mailed out registrants are all classified and each man is well aware of his relationship to the draft.

It was said in Washington Friday that plans are under way to defer all men over 27 years of age.

Burns and Jackson Named to Supreme Court by Roosevelt

Attorney General Jackson and Senator Burns were named to the Supreme Court of the United States today by President Roosevelt.

At the same time Justice Harlan F. Stone was named Chief Justice by Mr. Roosevelt. The resignation of Chief Justice Hughes will become effective July 1. Mr. Justice Stone will succeed Hughes.

Miss Mary O'Neill returned to her work in Corpus Christi Sunday.



Sam Morris to Speak In Cameron June 14 At 2 in Afternoon

Sam Morris, of Del Rio, candidate for the United States Senate to succeed the late Morris Sheppard, will speak at Cameron on the Court House Lawn on Saturday, June 14th, at 2 p. m.

In his address here Mr. Morris will support the bill introduced by the late Senator Sheppard, for the protection of soldiers and sailors against liquor and vice, as the chief plank in his platform. He will also speak in favor of adequate old age pensions to be paid by the federal government, and utmost preparations for national defense.

Speaking three times daily, Mr. Morris expects to cover the entire state before the special election on June 28th. Following his address he is scheduled to speak in Temple.

Bill Wallace Thinks Herald Editorials Are Hitting the Spot

Bill Wallace, first public official in this county to surrender his office and volunteer for service in the United States Army, writes a warm letter of appreciation from Camp Bowie at Brownwood.

Bill is city attorney in Cameron. The city council gave him a leave of absence in appreciation of his service to the city and to applaud him for his patriotism in accepting \$21 per month for an indefinite period.

He speaks of the Daily Midget of June 4th. He appreciates the editorial comment and his comment is interesting and thought producing. Bill is a Harvard law graduate. He is now a military policeman, Company 208 at Camp Bowie. A sense of humor holds the army together, he says, though undoubtedly there is a most serious purpose behind it all. He thinks Lyndon Johnson is a disgusting Sycophant.

William G. Gillis One of 51 at West Point To Get Athletic Award

West Point, N. Y., June 9—Wm. G. Gillis of Cameron was one of 51 Cadets who received an athletic award during the United States Military Academy's annual Athletic Review today.

He accepted from Brig. Gen. L. Eichelberger, superintendent of the Military Academy the Army Athletic Association trophy to the graduating Cadet who has rendered the most valuable service to athletics, the Edgerton award to the outgoing football captain, the football team awards and a citation for placing second in the Penn Relays 120-yard high hurdles race.

Cameron Officially 95 Years Old Today

Cameron is officially 95 years old today, June 10th.

Mrs. Jeff T. Kemp, collector of historical data found an old newspaper clipping giving account of early Cameron history. It was noted that town lots were placed on sale June 10, 1846 and so the city is officially 95 years old today.

The townsites was surveyed out 95 years ago and industrious real estate men lost no time in advancing the sale of town lots and from deed records they were deemed to be good investments even in those days.

Information on the age of the city was telephoned to The Herald by Judge Kemp.

GRAVE VIEW TAKEN BY UNITED STATES

The American ship, Robin Moor, was sunk by a German submarine in American waters, it was announced officially in Washington today by Under Secretary of State Sumner Welles.

The state department received official reports from representatives of the South American Diplomatic Corps who took testimony from survivors who reached port aboard a Brazilian vessel.

The Robin Moor was sunk by a German submarine whose Captain was fully informed that it was an American vessel and carrying no contraband goods. The ship was not bound for any combat zone, carried passengers and a cargo ranging from steel rails to millinery, said the official announcement of the sinking.

Mr. Welles was grave when he faced reporters to give the news of the official findings in the case.

Early Wednesday Stephen T. Early, secretary to the President, asked the American people to withhold judgment until all facts were known.

The statement was unusual as was the statement after the government had found the ship was destroyed by a German submarine. Now, said Mr. Early, the people may reach conclusions in the matter. After all the average citizen cannot do more than say what he thinks. What is the re-action of the government? What will they do about it? Who is in position to act, the government officials or the people? These seemed to be questions uppermost in the minds of Cameron citizens as the news became known.

The government, it was expected, might take several courses of action. One would be the dismissal of all consular representatives of Germany in the United States and a firm protest together with demands for reparations. The other was an open break or increased naval patrol.

Nothing drastic was expected. There will be other sinkings and they may be expected in view of this country's policy of delivering war supplies to Britain.

It was recalled here that when a German submarine sank the Lusitania in the world war days (1915) the United States did not go to war with Germany for 23 months. The period of note writing may soon begin.

The British were making slow progress in Syria but Beirut and Damascus seemed doomed to fall to British and Free French. The Vichy government claims heavy losses in Syria. The British say the reports are exaggerated. Damascus' fall will be sought without a fight.

BOND SALES REACH TOTAL OF \$25,346.30

Sale of Defense Bonds and Stamps had reached a total of \$25,346.30 through June 9th, it was announced here today by Emory B. Camp, chairman for Milam county.

Below is listed in table form sales for the week ending June 9th and also totals to date:

	Thru June 9th
Buckholts	\$
Cameron	2,878.95
Gause	227.50
Milano	709.35
Rockdale	1,486.75
Thorndale	213.80
Totals	\$5,597.35
Total to Date	\$1,050.00

Buckholts	10,286.40
Cameron	428.35
Gause	1,149.45
Milano	8,342.35
Rockdale	4,298.75
Thorndale	
Total	\$25,346.30

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Mackensen and son Wallace of Baton Rouge, La., have arrived for the wedding of her sister, Miss Louise Robbins to James D. Davis of Athens, Sunday morning June 8th at 9 o'clock at the home of their mother, Mrs. Katherine K. Robbins.

POST CARD CLUB BEGINS PROTEST TO WASHINGTON

Send a post card to Washington and protest the strikes in defense industries, was the latest development along commercial lane in Cameron Friday.

The Post Card Club was announced by Alvin Dusek at the Dusek Pharmacy. He said that a number of citizens had joined up and were writing post cards to Congressman Poage and Senator Tom Connally.

The messages are vigorous. They ask immediate action to stop strikes, to put an end NOW to sabotage of the national effort through labor strikes in essential war industries.

It should be remembered that A. J. has taken his seat in the Senate and cards should be mailed to him also.

Senator Tom Connally has introduced a bill in the senate providing government seizure of plants where workers strike on defense work.

The bill, no doubt is designed to curb strikes but could result in entrenchment of the CIO. It all depends on what kind of contract labor could get out of the government, if the plants are seized. If Madam Perkins handles the deal there would be big pay, shorter hours and damn little work.

No attempt is made to standardize the messages. A suggestion that cards be printed and signed was rejected. It would look too much like an organized effort. Citizens are asked to volunteer. It requires some energy to write a post card. The pension era may cut the protest average down on that account but it is hoped many will write in to express disapproval of the continuation of strikes in defense industries.

Hot Wire Goes To Washington; 100 Names On Protest

A night telegram with the names of 100 Cameron citizens will be filed late today with the Western Union.

The telegram goes to Congressman Bob Poage and Senator Tom Connally asking immediate stoppage of strikes in defense industries.

Yesterday one airplane plant in California producing one fifth of the nation's planes, was closed down.

The telegram protest supplements the Post Card Club set up here today as citizens began to move in protest against the back peddling of Roosevelt and Congress over the strike situation as well as action for war on Germany.

Connally Wires He Is Hopeful Law May Soon Ban Defense Strikes.

Senator Tom Connally in a telegram to Emory B. Camp expressed similar views to those citizens who wired him on Friday protesting stoppage of defense work by strikers.

Here is the Senator's telegram: "Hon. Emory B. Camp and other Signers, Cameron, Texas:

"Am strongly opposed to defense being delayed or held up by strikers. Have introduced bill to stop strikes and am hopeful of speedy action. Texas papers have carried reports of my views and actions in regards to strikes. TOM CONNALLY."

DAVILLA MERCHANT DIES FRIDAY MORNING

J. T. Heath, 69, a pioneer resident of the Davilla Community for approximately 40 years died at his home on Friday at 2 a. m. Mr. Heath had been a merchant at Davilla for 15 years.

Funeral services are to be held at the First Baptist Church in Bartlett at 3 p. m. Saturday. Interment will be made in the Granger cemetery with Phillips & Luckey of Rockdale directing funeral arrangements.

Mr. Heath is survived by his widow; and ten children: Mrs. Henry Messer of Killen, Mrs. Grover Adams of Bartlett, Mrs. W. E. Keeley of Houston, Mrs. E. L. Hargrove of Sparks, Mrs. Oscar Hines of Davilla, Mrs. Gene Howard of Davilla, Miss Elsie Heath of Houston; three sons survive, G. A. Heath of Corpus Christi, Elton Heath of Corpus Christi and J. T. Heath of Aransas Pass.

Telephone the news to 282.

MAYOR CHAS. C. SMITH PROCLAIMS BOND DAY

A Proclamation by Mayor Chas. C. Smith for Bond Sales Day in Cameron, Saturday, June 14th, has been issued.

Mayor Smith calls on the people to join in the purchase of Bonds and Securities and do so on Flag Day which denotes appreciation for America.

"Whereas, the Government of the United States, through the Secretary of the Treasury, has caused to be issued Defense Bonds for public subscription, and these bonds are now being sold throughout the Nation; and

"Whereas, the people of this City have always been patriotic and supported in every way the Government of the United States; and

"Whereas, Saturday, June 14, 1941, is National Flag Day when we as a free people pause to consider and to prepare against the menace to our national security; and

"Whereas, the President of the United States has declared an Unlimited National Emergency, and it behooves the people of this City to investigate and consider the purchase of Defense Bonds in order that the security of our Nation may be maintained; and

Whereas, the bonds so issued give a fair return on the savings; and

"Whereas, at this time attention of the people is directed to the needs of our Government for financial support, and our citizens are urged to buy a share in America by purchasing these Defense Bonds;

"Now, Therefore, I, Chas. C. Smith Mayor of the City of Cameron, Texas, do proclaim Saturday, June 14, 1941, FLAG DAY, and with equal significance, also proclaim that same day NATIONAL DEFENSE BOND DAY.

"Done at the office of the Mayor, this 10th day of June, 1941.

CHAS. C. SMITH,
(Seal) Mayor, City of Cameron."

Old Spanish Coin Found Near Thorndale

An old Spanish coin dated 1743 was plowed up by Martin Lehman near Thorndale this week.

The coin was purchased by James Swayze and exhibited in Cameron Tuesday. It is a silver coin slightly less in size of the American dime.

The coin was found 3 miles east of Thorndale and not far from the Old Spanish Trail.

Louis-Baer Fight Film Here Saturday

Fight fans will get an opportunity to see the Joe Louis-Buddy Baer heavy weight championship fight here Saturday at the Cameron Theatre.

It will also afford them an opportunity to see the much discussed punch after the bell in the sixth round.

Baer lost the fight but Louis was knocked through the ropes in the first round.

Five Men Selected For Army Induction

Five men have been notified of their selection for training in the United States Army under the National Selective Service act, it was announced Saturday by Mrs. Jack Lewis, chief clerk at the local board headquarters.

The men are: Joe John Kopriwa, William Laurence Olbrich, August Jennings Boecker, Hubert Fred Redehase and Ernest John Sebesta.

The men will be inducted into the army on June 17th.

FRIENDSHIP PIONEER DIES EARLY SATURDAY

William Anderson McCormick of Friendship, died at 1 a. m. Saturday at his home in that community.

Mr. McCormick was born June 3, 1858 in Montgomery County, Texas. He had lived in Milam county for more than 50 years.

Funeral services will be held at 5 p. m. Saturday at the Friendship Church.

The Coleman Funeral Home in Cameron will direct arrangements.

Eddie Backhaus of Rockdale was a visitor in Cameron Friday.

NEWS FROM LIBERTY

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hughes and sister of Houston spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bussa. Odie Miles of Bartlett, Audrie Miller of Pflugerville, Boydell Pounds of Inks Dam spent this week end with their parents.

Miss Velma Fay Kirk, Mrs. Henry Mills, Raydell Pounds spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Shack Shafer at Pin Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bussa visited at Hearne last Saturday night. Mrs. John Mills and daughter, Mrs. J. L. Miller and Mrs. Clayton Miller of Houston spent last week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gunnels spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gunnels, Jr., at Cameron.

Aubrey Ashley has returned from Detroit.

Mrs. G. W. Miller spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Malone.

George Hartley of Fort Sam Houston and Miss Nola B Mills were married last Saturday. Their many friends wish them the best of luck. The couple left for San Antonio Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Holley of Houston visited his sister Mr. and Mrs. Charley Robinson Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Holley spent Sunday with their brother at Rockdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Malone spent last week end with her sister at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvin Reese spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Miller.

Mrs. A. J. Hildebrandt and daughters spent Sunday with Mrs. Alma Hildebrandt.

Mr. and Mrs. George Black of Dallas spent the week end here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Taploy and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Black. Miss Norma Walden of Houston

is visiting her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Malone and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Walden.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ashley visited at San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gunnels, Mrs. Myrtle Pounds and son visited her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Shack Shafer at Pin Oak last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bussa visited Mr. and Mrs. Reese Ashley recently.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"God the Preserver of Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday June 15.

The Golden Text is: "The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms" (Deuteronomy 33:27.)

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And the Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto his heavenly kingdom." (II Timothy 4:18.)

The Lesson-Sermon also include the following passages from the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy: "This is the doctrine of Christian Science: that divine Love cannot be deprived of its manifestation, or object; that joy cannot be turned into sorrow, for sorrow is not the master of joy; that good can never produce evil; that matter can never produce mind nor life result in death. The harmony and immortality of man are intact." (Pages 304 and 521.)

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Instructions for Control Of Cotton Insects

By
J. W. STUFFLEBEME, Jr.
County Agent

Due to heavy insect damage last year, many farmers are interested in control measures for cotton insects. Cotton insects work best when frequent showers occur, and the weather at present is ideal for insects.

Some simplified instructions for control of cotton insects are listed below:

Cotton Flea Hopper

1. As soon as the cotton plants have 6 to 8 leaves, examine weekly the terminal buds. If the flea hoppers are present in damaging numbers, small blackened, dead squares less than one-quarter inch in size will be observed, also young flea hoppers in the terminal buds will be seen.

2. Dusting should be started when 20 flea hoppers are present on the terminal buds of 100 consecutive plants.

3. Use 10 pounds of dusting sulphur per acre applied early in the morning before the wind rises, regardless of dew. This amount is sufficient for small, young cotton. Large cotton requires 12 to 15 pounds per acre.

4. Sulphur should be applied at weekly intervals until squares one-quarter inch in size are numerous. Sulphur will continue to be effective for a week if not washed off by rain. Two or three dustings should set a crop of squares. Sulphur will kill young flea hoppers within 24 hours after applying if not washed off by rain.

5. Flea Hoppers usually attack young, rapid growing, tender cotton and are not likely to be destructive on slow growing or heavily fruited cotton.

Boll Weevil

1. Examine cotton carefully and frequently after the first squares appear for punctures, which indicate the presence of boll weevils. Ordinarily when 10 percent puncture

ed squares are found in the field, poisoning should start.

2. If this condition is found, the following points should be considered:

a. Determine the fruiting conditions of cotton. Cotton should be fruiting freely with good indications of continued fruiting for the next two or three weeks.

b. Rains or showers within 24 hours after an application will wash off most of the poison, requiring an extra dusting as soon as possible.

3. Dust at the rate of 4 to 6 pounds of calcium arsenate per acre. Usually 3 applications of calcium arsenate at 5-day intervals will set a crop.

4. Sometimes it is necessary to make a late application to protect young bolls.

NEWS FROM MINERVA

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Small and children, Wilbur and Triola, left last Wednesday for a vacation visit to Oklahoma, Kansas City, Missouri and Colorado.

Ferrell Fleming of Randolph Field spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fleming.

Charles Hickman and Billy Trotter are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Trotter and little son, and other relatives at Texas City.

Mrs. Charlie Fleming and little daughter and brother, J. D. Robinson of Austin were week end guests in the H. C. Fleming home.

J. T. and Ed Edwards of Randolph Field visited relatives, for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harris and son, Donald of Edinburg came on Friday for a week end visit in the J. C. Wallace home and for a visit with other friends. They are former residents of Minerva and local citizens were happy to have them back for a visit.

Mrs. R. F. Stewart and son, Gweneth Lee, spent last week with Misses Juanita and Ouitah Stewart in Georgetown. The Misses Stewart accompanied them home for a week end visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lamb of Rockdale for a business trip to Mineral Wells, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Plaster and Mrs. E. M. Casey of Cameron were guests in the Gib Terry home on Sunday afternoon.

The revival meeting will begin at the local Methodist Church on Sunday night, June 22. Everyone is invited to make plans to attend the services.

6 COUNTIES INCLUDED IN CLUB ENCAMPMENT

Milam County will be host to Home Demonstration Clubs from six counties in annual encampment at Rockdale on June 17 and 18 it was announced by Dorothy Porter, home demonstration agent.

Counties in the encampment district are: Burnet, Hays, Milam, Travis and Williamson.

The program will stress recreation. Among the speakers will be Dosca Hale, specialist in parent education and child development at A & M College.

The night program will be in the nature of an amateur radio program. The Bethlehem Club was selected to prepare and present a skit from Milam county.

Local committees are as follows: General Chairman, Mrs. Dean Rhodes, New Salem Club.

Arrangements, Mrs. J. L. Rettig, Bethlehem Club, Chairman; Mrs. Clyde Holliman, New Salem and Mrs. S. D. Lawhon, Lilac Club.

Recreation, Mrs. Lee Heitmann, Hoyte, Chairman; Miss Ethel McKinney, Jones Prairie and Mrs. M. H. Winberly Smyrna Club.

Supplies, Mrs. Jess Thompson, Bethlehem, Chairman; Mrs. Lester Hart and Mrs. Babe Yount, Gardner Club; Mrs. E. H. Foster, New Salem Club.

Registration, Mrs. Kay Moore, Chairman; Mrs. Cecil Plate, Tracy Club; Mrs. Marvin Charles, Tracy; Mrs. Albert Braden, Hoyte.

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CAMERON and ROCKDALE.

FLAG WEEK

By proclamation of Mayor Smith Flag Week is being observed in Cameron.

Although the number of flags on display are few enough it brought many questions from citizens.

One asked who was dead. Another thought it had something to do with the Home Coming in Rockdale Sunday. Still another wanted to know if Roosevelt had declared war. Another asked whose birthday it was, and so on.

Well, the newspapers were full of it last week. It's flag week. June 14th is Flag Day.

JUDGE KEMP TO FEAST

Judge Jeff T. Kemp reached Cameron Friday night from Fort Worth where he attended the banquet given Highway Commissioner Williams who will succeed Harry Hines.

Judge said the feast was a notable gathering of Texans and the new commissioner made a good impression. He is an O'Daniel appointee.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Collins and daughter left Cameron Thursday for San Antonio where they will visit for several days. Mr. Collins is with the local postal system and is having his annual vacation.

ATTIC VENTILATION

FOR YOUR HOME THIS Summer

Cool as a Mountain Breeze

Enjoy cool, refreshing breezes in your home at the flip of a switch this summer. Install an Attic Ventilating Fan. It will drive the hot air from your attic while drawing fresh, cool air into your living room, dining room, bedrooms and kitchen. It means cool comfort, pleasant evenings, and refreshing sleep at night.

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"This is a splendid time for a young man or woman to attend a business school and secure their business training for it looks like there is going to be plenty of good positions for them."

This father was right. We are receiving more calls each week for Byrne graduates than we can supply.

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it takes a heap 'o livin'
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8. Loss of Foot and Eye 1,000.00
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Ruby Louise Robbins and James Walter Davis Of Athens Are Married In Home of Bride Sunday

A wedding of unusual interest to the many friends of the bride was that of Ruby Louise Robbins to James Walter Davis of Athens, at nine o'clock Sunday morning, June 8th.

The wedding vows were taken at an altar of pink and green in the living room of the bride's mother. Only the immediate families of the contracting parties and a few close friends were present for the ceremony.

Preceding the nuptials Miss Catherine Mode played Liebestrom and Mrs. A. J. Triggs sang "I Love You Truly." The strains of Lohengrin Wedding March announced the approach of the bride who was given in marriage by her uncle, E. A. Knipp of Houston.

The bride's only attendant was her twin sister, Miss Lois Adelle Robbins. Thomas Schultz, former college mate of the groom acted as best man. Four year old Wallace Bernard Mackensen of Baton Rouge, nephew of the bride acted as ring bearer and carried a tiny bouquet of sweetheart rose buds in which the ring nestled. Rev. O. C. Acrey of the First Presbyterian Church of Cameron, read the impressive ring ceremony.

The bride wore a traveling suit of navy alpaca with accessories to match. Touches of green added contrast and beauty to her going away costume. The bride and her twin sister wore beautiful corsages of pink buds.

Following the ceremony the guests and wedding party were invited to the cool south porch where the bride's cake was cut and coffee was poured by Mrs. E. A. Knipp of Houston. Others assisting in serving were Mr. O. Bernard Mackensen of Baton Rouge, sister of the bride and Mildred Pennell of Athens. Shortly afterward the bride and groom left for a wedding trip after which they will be at home in Athens.

Mrs. Davis is one of the twin daughters of Mrs. Katherine K. Robbins, former county superintendent of Milam county, and now a member of the Cameron School faculty. Mrs. Davis has taught in the High School of Athens for several years and will make her home among friends who wish her much happiness.

Mr. Davis is a graduate of A. & M. College and has resided in Athens for several years where he has served as county agent of Henderson county. His many friends of that vicinity will be happy to welcome

him and his bride to their new home.

Out of town guests for the wedding were: Misses Mildred Pennell and Margaret Christie of Athens, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lowe of Athens, Mrs. Hannah Steinhagen and Mrs. R. P. Siddall of Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurley of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis and two sons of Houston, Miss Kathleen Davis of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schultz of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Knipp of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Mackensen and young son, Wallace of Baton Rouge, La., Mrs. Marie Mackensen of Austin.

SAN GABRIEL GIRL GETS DEGREE FROM UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS, AUSTIN

Miss Sarah Jeanette Yeager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Yeager of San Gabriel, received her Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Texas at Commencement Exercises on last Monday night. Miss Yeager was a member of the BSU council and a member of the Cap and Gown Society of the University while she was at Texas.

Miss Yeager left Austin immediately following Commencement for Dallas where she was joined by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yeager and family, for a two weeks visit to California. The trip was a graduation present to her from the Dallas relatives.

Mrs. Bob Wiley has as guests her children, Mrs. Flint So Relle of Missions and her son Kenneth Wiley of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Wiley will return as far as San Antonio with her daughter and will then visit another daughter, Mrs. Russell Wine for a few days.

WITH THE BAPTIST

As I write this article, I have before me an urgent appeal to stress the slogan, "America First." Surely we all love "Old Glory" and all that she stands for today, but isn't this world suffering from an overdose of "Nationalism." Let us love the whole world, and our nation in particular. I want my America first in vision, first in service and first in Righteousness. Yes, America first, but in the Christian way.

Vacation Bible School is off to a grand start. One hundred and fifty-five are registered. It is a great affair for boys and girls. Think of it, a school without books! No home work! Woodwork for boys! Handwork for girls! Bible Stories and studies, and new songs. Makes us who are grown ups want to be boys and girls again. About thirty of our workers thrilled to see the American Flag, The Bible and The Christian Flag lead a line of about 40 in three different lines.

Our parade was success personified. How grateful we are to all who co-operated to make it a success. How friendly and fine the Fire Department, R. G. Grabein, Blake Bottling Co., Michalka Motor Co., Coleman Funeral Home, Jenkins Motor Co., and Burkes and Howard Tractor Co., and many others that space does not allow me to name, but they helped and we appreciate them so much.

Wednesday night was our All Church night. It is the bright spot in our month's work. How fine to hear reports of good work done and its doubly fine to have delicious food prepared to go with these reports.

Last Sunday two hundred and forty-seven made tracks to Sunday School. In Training Union 79 said in an active way, we want to be prepared for any emergency in our Christian life. Offering was only one hundred twenty dollars. This

is \$69 short of our budget per Sunday.

Sunday School Lesson Sunday morning is a good one, "Progress in World Evangelism." How we do need progress in this field. See you at 9:45.

Worship at 11, Sermon, "Ghosts Are Stalking the Land." Rom. 12:1. Evening Services. Training Union at 6:41. "An Untrained Soldier is a misnomer, how about an Untrained Baptist?"

Sermon, "No Easy Cure for Sin." Ex. 32:20.

Church going people are not criminal babies!

Willie Fipps and Miss Edna Gaylor of San Gabriel were married Monday afternoon by Judge Jeff T. Kemp. Mr. Fipps is stationed in the army in California and later will return there and Mrs. Fipps will continue to make her home at San Gabriel until his return from the army.

LOUIS GOHMERT, JR., IN AUSTIN FOR LEGION WEEK

Louis Gohmert, Jr., is in Austin this week to take part in the Legion Program arranged for the Sons of the Legion.

Delegates from Posts all over Texas are in the Capitol and will be given positions of responsibility, displacing all officials from the Governor down. The Sons of Legionnaires will run the state government for the week.

No information has been received indicating the post to be held by Louis, Jr., who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gohmert, Sr.

Judge and Mrs. Jeff T. Kemp were among Cameron people who attended the annual reunion at Rockdale Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. I. Clark who for many years, made her home in Rockdale before moving to Cameron.

Telephone the news to 282.

TODAY'S IMMORTALS

To complete their year of training in the United States Army Eugene Green and Willie Albert Daniels, negroes and both volunteers, left shortly after 9 a m Wednesday for San Antonio over the Southern Pacific lines.

Both men were reared in the Jones Prairie Community and their names have been on the volunteer list for some time awaiting call. They were greeted by representatives of the Draft Board and sent on their way with good wishes.

Gus Backhaus of Rockdale was among visitors in Cameron Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Dukes of Milam were Cameron visitors Friday.

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CAMERON, TEXAS



...having a well-baked boss for dinner?

Tonight, if it's your turn to treat the office big-wig to a home-cooked meal, make the ordeal easy on the little woman. The moment the boss crosses the threshold, guide him to a cool corner of your home... and then, before he can say, "Gosh—it's hot!", fill his fist with a goblet of glistening Grand Prize Beer—ice cold and grand-tastin'!

Say, you'll rate a royal raise from the old boy immediately he gets around a beaker of this grand-tastin' beer. For



when it comes to chasing a thirst, Grand Prize is a quicker-quencher if there ever was one. Little wonder more and more Texans every day are switching to Grand Prize—the deeply-mellow superbly-smooth beer. Now, wouldn't this grand-tastin' drink go great right now? For your convenience, Grand Prize comes in Keglined cans as well as in bottles at all good dealers.

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It's always the SORE thumb that sticks out...

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It's the same way with the retailing of beer. Everybody knows about the one undesirable place...everybody seems to forget about the thousands of worthwhile retailers who operate clean, decent, law-abiding establishments.

To protect the good name of beer, we of the beer industry want the few... but noticeable... "black sheep" retailers eliminated.

That's not all. Such retailers endanger an industry that brings important economic benefits to the community. Right

here in Texas beer provides employment for 31,165 persons, supports an annual payroll of \$22,076,182 and contributed \$2,273,968.64 last year in state taxes.

This state, too, has an important stake in the beer industry's purchases—for materials, equipment, and services—from more than 100 other industries.

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OUR TOWN

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the direction of the White House. Said Roosevelt May 27th: "If you wait until you see the whites of their eyes, you will never know what hit you."

I can't see the whites of their eyes but I can see their helmets above the Cactus.

The current upsurge of public sentiment over strikes in defense industries manifests itself in a series of telegrams and post cards as well as letters to Congressmen and Senators. These are days of grave doubts, suspicions and uncertainties. There are a number of factors contributing to this situation and the President himself is somewhat to blame, if not altogether. If ever America needed a leader it is now. What does the President intend doing. We are told Saturday that he has served notice on the plant workers in California to return to work by Monday or the government will seize and operate the industry. Senator Tom Connally has introduced a bill in the Senate providing for government operation of industrial plants where workers strike and delay production. Many here and elsewhere are sincere in these protests. It is well to give the government the benefit of full confidence but one cannot escape the speculation that government seizure of the plants may be what the CIO has long worked for. It can readily be seen that with the present labor government in Washington workers would have no difficulty in negotiating contracts with the government. What kind of contract would Madam Perkins make with John L. Lewis if the government should decide to take over Ford or General Motors? It must be reckoned that any plant taken over must be operated at government expense. The question here is whether the government should press out of the ranks of labor every Bolshevik and Nazi or take over and operate the plants with those same Bolsheviks and Nazis in the plant. The record of the Labor Department in Washington does not indicate the people could expect justice in making wage and hours contracts on public works for national defense. That something should and will be done everyone admits. Just what to do nobody seems now to know. Mayor LaGuardia in his first statement after being named head of Civilian Defense asked you and I to send in ideas. If he doesn't know what is expected in that place he should be honest enough to get out. You and I can think of a number of things to do right now. I do not think we would take over industry and leave its operation up to Madam Perkins, John L. Lewis or the Labor

Relations Board. If billions have been paid out in subsidies to farms, railroads and shipping lines, would the administration as now constituted hesitate to pour out billions to labor? Indeed it may already have done that to a degree that has robbed us of what we had the right to expect in return for tax money.

Acrey to Kerrville For Place on Program

Rev. O. C. Acrey will be one of the speakers of a group of outstanding government, business and ministerial leaders at the annual Conference for College and University young men and women to be held at Kerrville next week.

The Cameron pastor will discuss "The Necessity of Christianity in Our Changing Political Concepts." Attorney General Gerald C. Mann, Dr. S. L. Jockel of the Austin Seminary, Dr. Wm. Rex Hopper of Highland Park Presbyterian church Dallas, Dr. E. M. Munroe of Second Presbyterian church Houston and Dr. P. D. Miller of the First Presbyterian church San Antonio are other speakers on the program. Each speaker will discuss some topic in the field of social and political science and relate Christianity to it. An Open Forum group will be led by Rev. Acrey each morning at the conference which will be in session June 10-19. Mr. Acrey will return to preach on Sunday during this conference.

Carrol Wood Delegate To Rotary Convention

Carrol Wood, newly elected President of the Cameron Rotary Club is delegate to the Rotary International Convention to be held in Denver this year.

With Mrs. Wood he will leave Cameron Friday of this week. Other members of the club also plan to attend the convention.

Wood has outlined his committee work for the year and will make a report to the club on his return here.

Ada Henderson Pupils Collect Tinfoil for British War Relief

Guy Haynes, principal of Ada Henderson school, has received a letter from E. R. Brown, Chairman of the Dallas Chapter of the British War Relief Society, thanking him for a contribution of tinfoil.

The pupils of Ada Henderson school collected the tinfoil for the British War Relief Society and Mr. Brown acknowledges the box. He thanks and commends the pupils for their spirit and aid to Britain.

WANT-ADS

STRAYED red heifer, weight about 400 pounds, on Frank Slovick's place five miles west of Cameron on old Waco road. Owner can get same by paying for this advertisement and paying for keep of animal. 7-3t

FOR QUICK SALE! AND MUST SELL!

In your vicinity—I will sacrifice all, or any part of, 7-piece living room group—one refrigerator—dining room suite—radio—Washing machine—and one nearly new small size Spinnet piano only 4 months old.

Can arrange VERY easy terms to responsible party. In writing, please state which article you are interested in.

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FOR SALE—Old Schiller place on Waco Highway, three quarters of mile from city limits, 93 acres, suitable to be sold in lots or acreage tracts. Close in and convenient, good water. A neat buy. See A. L. Krenek. 8-2t

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Employment Service Finds Jobs for 47; 238 Leave Applications

Last month 238 persons among them many students looking for summer jobs, as well as high school and college graduates seeking their first permanent positions, left applications for work at the Cameron office of Texas State Employment Service for the first time. R. C. Moody, local manager, reports.

The employment service found 47 jobs for people in Cameron last month, 6 of which were permanent placements in non-farm private industry and 41 were temporary jobs of less than 30 days duration.

Farm activity is rapidly climbing to a seasonal peak, Moody says. Calls for families to move on farms and calls for cotton choppers and corn thinners are increasing each day. Four hundred seventy seven day workers were sent to farmers in Milam county. Staff members of the employment service made 86 personal visits to local employers and farmers last month and the employment office filled a total of 363 claims for unemployment compensation for Cameron citizens.

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Over First National Bank
Cameron, Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Milam:

To Tommie Fussell, Pink Fussell, Annie Harkleroad and husband, Bob Harkleroad; and the unknown heirs at Law of A. G. Fussell, deceased; Defendants.

You are Hereby Commanded to be and appear before the Honorable 20th Judicial District Court of Milam County, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the City of Cameron, on the First Monday in September, A. D. 1941, same being the 1st day of September, A. D. 1941, then and there to plead and answer to plaintiff's petition in a delinquent tax suit filed in said Court on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1941, said suit being No. 1278, and in said suit The State of Texas is Plaintiff, and John Fussell, C. M. Beard, as Independent Executor of the Estate of A. G. Fussell, Deceased, Mrs. Mable Woods, Mamie Coleman and husband, Spilby Coleman, Tommie Fussell, Pink Fussell, Annie Harkleroad and husband, Bob Harkleroad, and the unknown heirs at law of A. G. Fussell, deceased, are Defendants.

Said suit is a suit to collect taxes on the following described real estate assessed in the name of John Fussell and A. G. Fussell Estate, to-wit: "All that certain 80 acres of land in the Lewis Wells Survey in Milam County, Texas, known as the old A. G. Fussell home place, and having for its beginning part the N. W. corner of the Lewis Wells 320 acre survey for the N. W. cor. of this, from which a P. O. bds. S. 64 W. 8 1-2 vrs. and a B. J. bds. N. 57 E. 7 vrs Thence S. 19 E. 475 vrs. to the S. W. cor. of this in the center of the Milam and Frainville road. Thence with said public road N. 71 E. 950 vrs. to a stk. for the S. E. corner of this. Thence N. 13 W. 475 vrs. to the N. E. corner of this in the N. lines of said Lewis Wells Survey. Thence S. 71 W. 950 vrs. to the point of beginning, containing 80 acres of land, more or less." For the years and in the amounts as follows to-wit:

On 40 acres assessed to John Fussell:

1928	\$ 5.58
1930	11.20
1931	10.75
1932	8.61
1933	6.71
1934	7.93
1935	7.79
1936	11.29
1937	11.64
1938	10.40
1939	10.28

On 40 acres assessed to A. G. Fussell Estate:

1928	\$ 4.28
1930	4.41
1931	5.00
1932	4.87
1933	4.96
1934	4.84
1935	3.99
1936	3.82
1937	2.86
1938	4.08
1940	2.41

Together with penalties, interest, costs and expenses which have accrued, or which may legally accrue thereon.

Plaintiff also seeks the establishment and foreclosure of the lien securing payment of such taxes as provided by law.

All interest, penalties and costs allowed by law are included in said suit. Each party to said suit shall take notice of, and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file or hereafter filed in said cause by all other parties thereto.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court at my office in Cameron, Texas, this the 9th day of June, A. D. 1941.

(Seal) W. C. (Nig) MOODY,
Clerk District Court, Milam County, Texas. 8-2t

Rural Carriers and Postmasters Meet in Temple on June 12

The Rural Carriers and the Postmasters of the Eleventh Congressional District will hold their annual business meeting in Temple on June 12.

The Postmasters will hold their business meeting at the Trainmen's hall at six o'clock, while the carriers will have their meeting at the Chamber of Commerce.

STOP THAT ITCHING

If bothered by the itching of Athlete's Foot, Eczema, Itch, Ringworm or aching feet any drug store will sell you a jar of Black Hawk Ointment on a guarantee. Price 50c and \$1.

DUSEK PHARMACY.

Bob Doss of Gay Hill transacted business in Cameron Friday.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County—Greeting:

You are Hereby Commanded to Summon Jeremiah Spiller and the unknown heirs of Jeremiah Spiller, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Milam County, to be holden at the court house thereof in Cameron, on the first day of September, 1941, the same being the first Monday in September, 1941, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of June 1941, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 11942, wherein Tom S. Henderson, Jr., John B. Henderson, Agnes H. Beard, E. D. Beard, Eleanor H. Wells, P. B. Wells, Mary Lake H. Culpepper, C. C. Culpepper, Harriet H. Bonnet and H. M. Bonnet, are plaintiffs, and Jeremiah Spiller and the unknown heirs of Jeremiah Spiller, are defendants. Said petition alleging:

That plaintiffs own, and on April 21, 1941, were in possession of 50 acres of land in the J. J. Acosta Grant in Milam County, Texas, described as follows: BEGINNING at the S. E. corner of the J. Kitchings tract, in center of Dry Brushy Creek. Thence N. 71 W. 421 1-3 vrs. Thence S. 19 W. 670 vrs. Thence S. 71 E. 415 1-2 vrs. to center of said creek. Thence down said creek to place of beginning. That defendants, on said 21st day of April, 1941, unlawfully ejected plaintiffs from said land, and now withhold same from plaintiffs.

Plaintiffs invoke the five and ten year Statutes of Limitations to establish their title to said land.

Plaintiffs pray judgment for title and possession of said land, for \$100 damages, costs of suit, and for writ of restitution.

Herein fail not, but have before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, W. C. (Nig) Moody, Clerk of the District Court of Milam County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in Cameron, this the 6th day of June A. D. 1941.

(Seal) W. C. (Nig) MOODY,
Clerk of the District Court, Milam County, Texas. 8-4t

Mrs. Joe Dockall of Gay Hill was a visitor in Cameron Friday.

REWARD—For lemon and white pointer, male; and white female setter with small black spots. Lost or strayed Wednesday. Notify Dr. E. R. Zellner, Cameron. 12-1t

Advertise in the Daily Herald.

WAR IS CONFINED TO CAMPAIGN IN SYRIA

British and Free French Forces entered the ancient city of Damascus in Syria Wednesday to complete their first major victory of the war between themselves and the French who have sworn allegiance to the government of Vichy.

At the same time the Allies were entering Damascus it was announced that the British were entering Baruit, important sea coast town in Syria where the British navy has strong units.

The position of the French army in Syria was said to be critical and even Germany and Mussolini were doubting the ability of the French to stop the British and Free French.

Thus Hitler has so manipulated the international situation that France is at war with Britain. The Dictators were resting on their conquests. Attack on the Suez Canal will not be made through Syria but by air with Cyprus and the nearby coast as objectives.

The labor front was quieter as some 5000 men had returned to work in the Ingleside Plant of the North American Air Craft Corporation in California.



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CARDS

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From Friday, June 13th through Friday
June 20th

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CAMERON, TEXAS

Personal Mention

Sgt. Virgil Turner was in Cameron early this week to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Turner. He has been made top Sergeant and will soon go to New Mexico. He is an enlisted man in the air corps.

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C. F. Butler of Gause was a Cameron visitor Friday.

John McAtee of Burlington was a Cameron visitor Saturday.

Will Henry of Rockdale visited in Cameron Friday.

Miss Sue Ann Baskin of Missouri City, is here on a few days visit with her father, Gordon Baskin and grandmother, Mrs. B. J. Baskin.

Dr. T. S. Barkley of Rockdale visited in Cameron Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Haynes, their daughter, Beverly and Mrs. Ransom mother of Mrs. Haynes, left Cameron early Tuesday for Claude in West Texas where they will visit for several days. Mrs. Ransom is returning home after a visit of several months here.

J. R. Slovacek of Buckholts transacted business in Cameron Friday.

A. B. Dunn of Sharp was a business visitor in Cameron Saturday.

The County Board of Equalization is in session today.

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H. B. McClellan, Secretary.
Joe D. Bass, District Deputy Grand Master.
Cameron Rebekah Lodge No. 46 meets First and Third Tuesday nights in each month.
Mrs. Harvey Radtke, Noble Grand.
Mrs. Estelle Terry, Secretary.

Postcard greetings to Cameron friends come from Judge and Mrs. Graham Gillis who attended the graduation of their son, William G. Gillis at West Point Military Academy in New York on June 11th. They report a fine trip and a full program of entertainment every day through graduation.

Visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Baskin and friends were: Mrs. Elmer Williams and son, Douglas, Miss Betty Jones Baskin, grand daughter of Houston, and Mrs. W. E. Heard of Camp Bowie. Mrs. Heard is the former Miss Mary Frances Baskin.

Mrs. Preston Petty and daughter, Miss Johnnie Lou, have returned from San Antonio where they visited relatives and friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Bishop of Houston are visiting Mr. Bishop's brother, Charles E. Bishop for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Mondrik and family are moving to Port Arthur where he will be with the Gulf Port Boiler Works as an electrician on Navy Tug Boats.

Monroe Smith left Cameron early Friday for Mission in South Texas where he has accepted a position with the Continental Oil Company. He will do office work and has a splendid opportunity.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hefley and their daughter, Henriem are in New Orleans this week. The vacation may extend into next week. They left Cameron early this week in their new Dodge car to tour Louisiana. Mr. Hefley is President of the First National Bank.

C. W. Bradbury, former dry goods merchant here, has been appointed to a place with the Workman's Compensation Division at Austin and assigned to duty in the local office.

Miss Mary O'Neill arrived in Cameron early Saturday in Corpus Christi where she has a place with the railway company and construction firm under national defense.

She formerly was associated with The Herald, leaving Cameron on April 1st for Corpus. Many friends were glad to welcome her return visit. She will return on Sunday to her work in Corpus.

Mrs. W. P. McCall and daughter, Mrs. Tommie Wright and son Tommy who are here on a visit, spent Friday afternoon in Waco visiting Mrs. McCall's sister, Mrs. Frank White who has been ill but is now much improved.

Allen Hooks Doss of Gay Hill transacted business in Cameron Friday.

A. McVoy, Justice of Peace at Rockdale, was a visitor in Cameron Saturday.

Ruth Cryer of Val Verde transacted business in Cameron Saturday.

Rev. R. F. Stewart of Minerva visited in Cameron the last of the week.

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EANES-BOYD

Miss Elizabeth Eanes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Sanes of Cameron, became the bride of Sgt. Robert Drayton Vennie Boyd of Los Angeles, California, Sunday afternoon, June 8th at five o'clock at the first Methodist church, Rev. John Mills, local pastor, reading the ring ceremony, before a beautiful altar of flowers of pink roses, pink gladioli, white shasta daisies, lavender thistle and ferns, in tall floor baskets and vases.

The wedding music was given by Miss Willie Boyd of Chriesman, who was dainty in white embroidered gown and wore a corsage of white gladioli. Mrs. Vernon Collins sang "I Love You Truly." She was attired in pink chiffon, and wore blue cornflower corsage.

The bride and groom entered together and met the celebrant at the altar where an impressive nuptial ceremony was given.

The bride wore a charming costume of navy blue crepe dress made with fitted waist line with small buttons running down the front to waistline, and the skirt was pleated in both front and back. With this she wore a matching coat in full length with long loose sleeves; a corsage of white gardenias, white gloves and a large picture hat of navy blue. For something borrowed, old and blue, she wore a necklace of gold and blue that was worn by her grand mother at her wedding many years ago. The bride is a graduate of Cameron High School, and is popular with a large circle of friends.

The bride groom is the son of Mrs. Joe Thompson of Los Angeles, California, and is at present stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso, and later will go to Los Angeles, Calif. He wore his Sgt. Army Uniform.

Mrs. Eanes, mother of the bride, wore a navy crepe; her corsage was cape jasmines.

Ushers for the wedding were Dana Monroe and Hope Eanes.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. Pink gladioli were featured in the home decorations, along with other flowers. The reception room was beautiful, and the dining room featured the chosen flowers and were seen on the buffet in crystal vases with a bowl of flowers centering the lace lain table with tall tapers shedding a rosy light over the scene. The wedding cake was in ring design embossed with lilies and pink rose buds with a wedding bell tied with pink bows of ribbon. The bride and groom cut the cake together, then Mrs. Eanes cut for the guests. Miss Lillian Mondrik presided at the punch bowl, and was assisted by Mrs. Joe Eanes, Mrs. Connie Eanes, Miss Willie Boyd, Mrs. Franklin Drac. Mrs. Cumbia Allen of Troy, presided over the bride's book.

Out of town guests present for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Cumbia Allen of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eanes and daughter of Rockdale, Mr. and Mrs. Richards and children of Minerva, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Drac of Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Moore of Houston, Miss Ruth Eanes, Mrs. W. D. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ewell of Chriesman. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd will be in El Paso until after July 1st, and will then go to Los Angeles, California.

RIVER IS OUT

Although flood conditions are obtaining in a large section of Little River bottoms no damage was anticipated beyond delay in crop operations.

Continued rains have made farming in the lowlands impossible for this year in some places. All livestock had been moved from the bottoms. The Leon River in Bell county was reported in high flood stage from excessive rains. These waters were due here Thursday.

FIRST TEST OF WAR SEEMS NOW CERTAIN

The first test of all out British attack with an army of around one million men and bases and supplies to back them up, seemed in immediate prospect.

The London government said that British are moving into Syria. The Turks have said for several days that the Germans are moving into Syria with the aid of the French.

Evidently the British have concluded to force the issue.

The fighting in Greece and on Crete was undertaken by only small British forces. In the near East where the British have based their air strength as well as their navy, supplies from the United States are beginning to arrive.

If the main battle of the war develops in the Suez it will be the first major effort of British arms against Germany.

German bombing planes are already attacking Alexandria and the British have retaliated with attacks on air bases in Syria they say are occupied by the Nazi.

General Weygand left for Morocco after a long conference with Vichy. He was represented as prepared to direct French defense from Morocco but to be critical of Petain's collaboration with the Axis.

President Roosevelt left the capitol for an unknown fishing destination. He has given CIO leaders in California until Monday to resume work or else.

Ambassador Winant to Britain told newspaper men in Washington Saturday that he felt confident the British have enough men and equipment in the near east to deal with the Germans. He said he brought no peace proposals. That, he said

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was just plain German propaganda as the President had said on Friday.

Do you have "kitchen jitters?" Nerves on edge from a thousand and one little annoyances in cooking and cleaning up your kitchen every day? Thousands of women do, according to noted home economics experts. "And one of the easiest of these petty annoyances to get rid of," says one of them, "is a disagreeable shortening that gives off disagreeable odors, and smokes up the kitchen, ruins wall paper and curtains. And this same shortening is the kind that probably does not blend well when baking

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BY FRED J. MATULA

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"Going home," packs more meaning, more sentiment, more dramatic expression of human feeling than the greatest play or story that has ever been written. The greatest picture that's ever been painted: Home Sweet Home finds an echo in the heartbeat of every American.

In this spirit I dedicate these words to my friends and citizens, happy that we may have contributed in some measure to bring them more of the better things of life; to make their home happier and more livable in America.

Let's be true to America. Let's help to save these homes by being true to the Flag because the Star Spangled Banner is the greatest flag on earth and so is America the greatest country.

"BRINGING IN THE SHEAVES"

Sowing in the morning, sowing seeds of kindness.
Sowing in the noontide and the dewy eve.
Waiting for the harvest, and the time of reaping.
We shall come rejoicing, bringing in the sheaves.

Little Stories GREAT HYMNS

This popular harvest hymn was inspired by the 126th psalm
They that sow in tears shall reap in joy. . . . He that goeth forth and weepeth bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him.

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MRS. HUGO BOEDEKER, Route 1, Cameron.

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Washington News From Your Congressman W. R. POAGE

Dear Friends:

While I am writing on Friday, June 6th, many of you will not see this letter until Flag Day (June 14.) On that day Old Glory will be 164 years old. I hope that every American home will on that day display the Stars and Stripes. This day, which celebrates the symbol of our American unity, should have an especially deep significance this year. Several years ago I prepared a little pamphlet on the proper use and display of the Flag. I did this because so many of our people are uninformed as to the proper treatment to accord to our Flag. I have a very limited supply of these pamphlets on hand. If any of you would care to have one, just drop me a card and I will mail one to you.

It would seem that in times like these that we could expect the greatest exhibition of national unity, but unfortunately there are powerful forces at work trying to break down our unity of purpose. In the first place, there are the appeasers. It was appeasers in England who first allowed Czechoslovakia to be destroyed. The appeasers of Holland and Belgium would not allow their countries to make any adequate preparation for united resistance to invasion before it came. The appeasers now in control of France quit the fight and turned the resources of the French empire over to their conquerors rather than aid their ally in fighting for freedom. The appeasers led by Senator Wheeler in this country are seeking to shape our policy so as not to offend Hitler or Japan. They seek to sabotage every effort of the President or the Congress to take a firm stand. They ask that we wait and wait and wait. They want us to do nothing about taking the French West Indies until Hitler has moved in. They opposed our occupation of Greenland, although it is now evident that we got there just in time. We should purchase the French possessions in the Western Hemisphere from the Free French Government now and apply the purchase price against the debt that France owes us. We should then move in before Hitler can do so. We should probably also take over the Cape Verde and Canary Islands and Dakar in

West Africa and hold these outposts until the danger of Hitler has passed. We should also, in my opinion, absolutely stop all trade with Japan until she moves out of China and conforms to her treaty obligations. It is ridiculous for the United States to be supplying Japan with oil.

It is true that we have stopped the exportation of iron, etc., to Japan but we should stop everything, and see to it that she does not take these supplies from the Dutch East Indies. Only in this way can we protect our Pacific coast from future attack. But the appeasers would have us do nothing that might give offense to any of the dictators, and this in spite of the fact that this war has proven absolutely that the nation taking the initiative has a tremendous advantage. I don't propose to give that advantage to someone else. Neither should our nation practice appeasement at home.

We have been this afternoon debating a bill appropriating ten billion dollars for the use of the Army. The bill will undoubtedly pass. I shall vote for it, but I realize that mere appropriations will not protect us. We must produce goods. To do so we must not only have money available, we must have men ready and willing to work in factories as well as to carry guns. In fact, as I see it, it is much more important at this time to produce equipment than to train more men. The war in Europe has surely proven that mechanized equipment is absolutely vital. We can only produce this equipment by keeping our factories working without stop. We cannot, therefore, tolerate strikes in defense industries, and I have just spoken in behalf of an amendment to the appropriation bill which attempts to prevent strikes in defense work. These kind of defense strikes so weakened France that the largest army in the world could not save her from a mechanized force. They are a direct threat to the very lives of American soldiers today. They constitute a greater threat to Democracy today than does the Japanese Navy or the German Luftwaffe.

Earlier in the afternoon I voted for an amendment which carried by a close vote to prohibit any more "cost-plus" contracts and to require all defense contracts to be let by competitive bids. I believe that if this amendment becomes law it will

stop much of the unwarranted and indefensible high cost of defense construction, and will in this way remove one of the causes of strikes (where labor sees contractors making unconscionable profits and therefore seeks to get a share of the spoils) and at the same time will give all contractors an even break and protect the public treasury.

With best wishes, I am,
Yours very sincerely,
W. R. POAGE, Congressman,
11th Texas District.

Beldon Poll Shows Mann Is Leading

Gerald C. Mann is leading in the race for United States Senator according to the Beldon Poll at Austin.

Confusion, claims and counter claims have somewhat obscured the facts. The Lyndon Johnson campaign with its elaborate advertising and support of the National Administration, seems more talk than reality.

The state wide, scientific poll of the campaign which Time Magazine has called "the biggest United States political side show since the presidential campaign last fall," show the standings as follows:

Gerald C. Mann	27.0
W. Lee O'Daniel	25.6
Martin Dies	23.7
Lyndon Johnson	19.4
Others	4.3

O'Daniel, in his opening announcement, assumed the office without running for it. Now it appears the race is not settled although many believe the governor will be elected.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Neeley of Milano shopped in Cameron Saturday evening.

PROTEST TO GERMANY PLANNED BY AMERICA

If the United States has been waiting for the first act of war to be committed by Germany the time was believed to have come for decisive action, although the office of the President Tuesday cautioned the American people to withhold judgment until all the facts are known about the sinking of the American ship Robin Moor.

The ship was sunk in American waters. This was determined Monday and announcement was made in Washington that this fact had been established.

It was said that the State Department was preparing a protest. It is the first act of war upon American shipping by the Germans. The ship was a passenger vessel and carrying no contraband goods.

A few of the passengers aboard the vessel were rescued.

It was said the ship was sunk by a German submarine. All indications pointed to an early determination by the United States Government of action to be taken as facts would be in hand within a few hours to dictate official re-action.

British and Free French forces were encountering very stiff opposition in Syria but were making progress. The fall of Damascus was expected momentarily as was the fall of Beirut, important sea coast city. The Allied army had advanced within a few miles of both cities.

Some 4000 workers had returned to the Ingleside plant of the North American Aircraft Corporation and Col. Branshaw who directed troop movements to take over the plant said that production has begun.

NEWS FROM Bryant Station

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McNulty of Meeks were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McNulty.

Miss Gloria Horelica of Ad Hall is spending the week with her sister Mrs. J. Y. Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Allison and daughter, Doan, visited Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Joyce of Bartlett.

Miss Marie Glaser spent the week end with Miss LaVaun Glaser of Cameron.

Lee Obermiller of Bartlett visited his parents during the week end.

Mrs. C. W. Hudson shopped in Cameron Saturday.

M. P. Lott and son, Charles of Holland visited friends in this community last week.

Charles Edward Martin and Burns McNulty were in Cameron Saturday.

Clara and Albert Glaser visited friends in Granger Monday night.

Misses Clara and Marie Glaser shopped in Cameron Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kurtz and sons, Raymond and Edwin, Jr., and daughter Dorothy Marie, made a business trip to Cameron Saturday.

Herman Glaser, and daughter, Misses Clara and Marie and son, Milton of this community and Johnnie Balusek of Granger were among the many number of people who attended the birthday celebration of E. W. Stork of Bushdale Sunday.

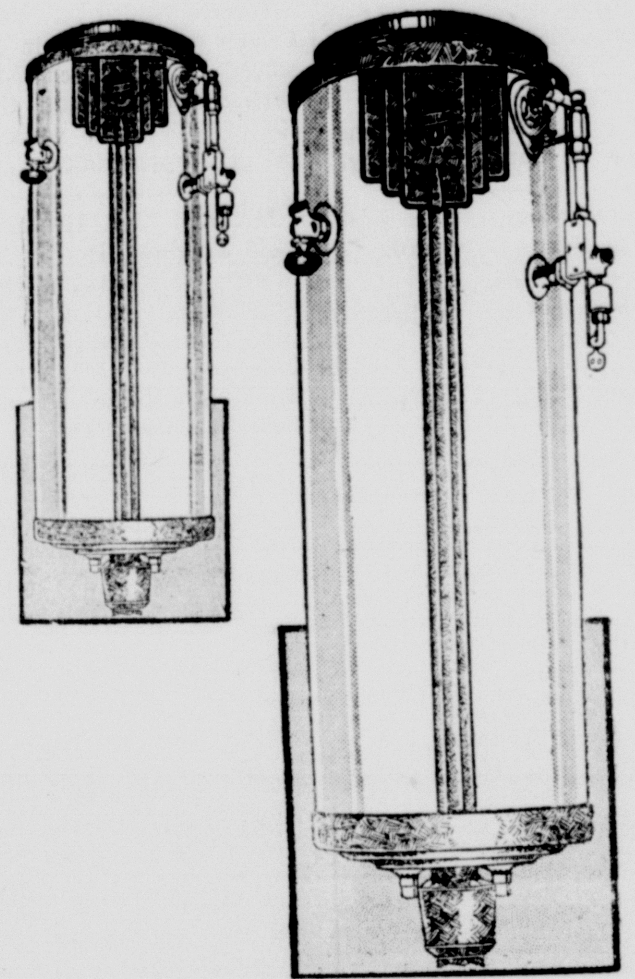
Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe King are the proud parents of a baby boy, born May 28th

BANK PRESIDENT AND FAMILY RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hefley and their daughter, Henriem Hefley, have returned from a two weeks vacation trip that took them to Louisiana and also to Tennessee and other points.

They returned to Cameron on Monday but Mr. Hefley had not yet resumed his duties at First National Bank where he is President.

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"RIDE ON VAQUERO"

Cesar Ramero

Wednesday, June 18
"ROAD SHOW"

Adolphe Menjou and Carole Landis

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"A WOMAN'S FACE"

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Court House News

MARRIAGES

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R. B. King and Annie Cook.
George R. Jones and Edith Allison.
Frank Castillano and Jaunita Ybana.
Louis Garcia and Florence Taylor.
Louis John Matula and Edna Richter.
Joseph A. Butler and Margie Marie Edwards.
Thomas Hickman and Eloise Phipps.

DEEDS

Louis Gorpelli to A. A. Fritz, 50 acres of the J. A. DePena league, \$200.
Federal Land Bank of Houston to J. H. Holloway, 95.4 acres of the Mornoe Edwards league, \$600.
Preston Sanders to W. H. Caldwell, 82 acres of the T. J. Cahmbers survey, \$10 and other valuable considerations.
Eugenie Pool et vir to Susan C. Pope, lot or parcel of land of block 5 of the original plan of the City of Cameron, \$10 and other valuable considerations.
W. O. Loftin et al to Union Central Life Insurance Co., 106 1-4 acres of the S. C. Robertson league, \$10 and other valuable considerations.
A. T. Cook et ux to Jose E. Padilla, lots 7, 8, 9 and 10 in block 23 in Milano Junction, \$1 and other considerations.
Union Central Life Ins. Co. to Emory Crump, 109 1-2 acres of the Jas A. Williams survey, \$750.
Lovie J. Bradford to Arman McGrew et ux lot 10 of block 14 and lots 1 and 2 of block 15 of the town of Milano, \$150.
Bertha Backhaus to John Backhaus et al 150 acres of land out of the S. C. Robertson survey, \$1 and other valuable considerations.
J. A. McCormick to Mrs. Jessie Guthrie, South one-half of N. W. quarter of block 3 of the Chas. Michalk addition to City of Thordale, \$50.
Mrs. E. R. Cates Estate to W. M. Henseley, lots 1 to 20 inclusive, in block 40 in town of Milano, \$325.

P. Sanders to Davilla Church of the Assembly of God, block 45 of the M. Davilla survey, \$10.

OIL AND GAS LEASES

E. W. Graham et al to W. O. Skidmore, 479 acres of the Chas. Crona survey \$10.
Bessie Graham to W. O. Skidmore, 223 1-2 acres of the Charles Crona survey, \$10.
Mrs. Eula Graham King et vir to W. O. Skidmore, 201 1-2 acres of the Charles Crona survey, \$10.
Mary Graham Young et vir to W. O. Skidmore, 189 acres of the Charles Crona survey, \$10.
P. Sanders et al to Magnolia Petroleum Oil Co., 80 acres of the D. H. Van Veighton survey, \$10.
Hal Williams to H. H. Coffield, 80 acres of the D. H. Van Veighton survey, \$10.

NEW AUTOS REGISTERED

Texas Power & Light Co., Cameron, Ford Pickup.
Dr. T. S. Gerkley, Rockdale, Buick Foremore Sedan.
P. S. Graves, Cameron, DeLuxe Chevrolet Town Sedan.
Dr. C. G. Brindley, Cameron, Buick Coupe.
Mrs. Ernest Self, Milano, Chevrolet Fleetline Sedan.
Coy C. Arledge, Cameron, Special DeLuxe Plymouth Sedan.
H. L. Pettilo, Cameron, DeLuxe Chevrolet Town Sedan.
Mrs. C. G. Brindley, Cameron, Buick Foremore Sedan.

AL SMITH CALLS ON THE PRESIDENT EARLY MONDAY

In Washington to attend graduation exercises at Georgetown University, Al Smith, presidential candidate in 1928 and who took a walk when the President was nominated for a third term, called on President Roosevelt at the White House Monday.
Mr. Smith, unannounced caller, came out smiling broadly. He is giving the President all possible support.

Telephone the news to 282.

600 TROOPS OPEN UP BIG INGRESIDE PLANT

Strikers were routed by United States Soldiers at the plant of the North American Aviation Corporation at Inglewood, California, shortly before noon Monday on orders of President Roosevelt and the plant re-opened.

Earlier in the morning police at Inglewood under orders from the city government attempted to drive some 2500 strikers away from the gates of the plant but were repulsed. Tear gas bombs were thrown among the strikers. Some of the bombs burst while others were hurled back at the police.

President Roosevelt signed the orders to take over the plant at 10:40 a. m. Within a few moments orders were telegraphed to the army colonel in command of the soldiers and 600 were at the plant within a few minutes.

The soldiers were disembarked from hugh trucks, issued ammunition and given orders. The troops marched to the gates of the plant with fixed bayonets. A few of the strikers attempted to talk to the soldiers but were driven aside by bayonets. One striker attempted to attack one of the soldiers and got a bayonet through his thigh. So far as known that was the only casualty of the morning.

Shortly after the army had taken over President Roosevelt made a personal appeal to the workers to return to their jobs. He promised protection for all who want to work. This protection he said would not only guarantee them safety at the plant but in their homes as well.

At the plant 2500 strikers were keeping 10,000 workers out of the plant. Crowds cheered the soldiers as they marched up and rifle butted a few of the gangsters out of the way and pricked others sharply with bayonets. The CIO crowd boomed. Not far away a sound truck operated by the CIO called on the workers to yield, saying that "The army cannot build airplane."

Chairman Martin Dies, of the House Committee on Un-American activities, and a candidate for United States Senator, issued a statement in which he said that four members of the CIO strike committee that shut down the plant are Communists.

Elmer Frata, one of the ring leaders of the strike, said Mr. Dies, registered as a Communist in California in 1938. Mr. Dies said also that the Nazi in America are co-operating to tie up production at the plant.

It was the first time that soldiers had broken up a strike since Grover Cleveland put Chicago under martial law some 47 years ago.

After the soldiers marched in and took over the plant, the workers began to file in and it was believed by nightfall all would be quiet. Strikers, pickets and spectators were chased away from the plant by the soldiers and perfect order restored.

The soldiers were grim and determined, uttering no words and declining to argue with the Communists, except a little impressive bayonet language, which was readily understood.

The action of the President was hailed throughout America as a justifiable step to protect the defense program and by asserting this authority, it was said the future of production is now assured.

Other plants to shut down because of Communist activities will be taken over. The President pointed out that under the terms of the Emergency Proclamation this action was taken and other more drastic action will be taken, if the need arises to stamp out interference with production.

K OF P NOMINATE

The following officers were nominated at the regular meeting of the Knights of Pythias Lodge Monday, June 9th:

Chancellor Commander, Abner Ingram, Jr.
Vice Chancellor, W. A. Morrison.
Master of Works, Buck Price.
Master of Arms, T. I. Vaughn.
Inner Guard, R. J. Woodum and Frank Wiggs.
Outer Guard, Henry Seibman, C. O. Lovorn and R. J. Woodum.

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If bothered by the itching of Athlete's Foot, Eczema, Itch, Ringworm or aching feet any drug store will sell you a jar of Black Hawk Ointment on a guarantee. Price 50c and \$1. DUSEK PHARMACY.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Weems of Valasco, spent the week end here at their home returning back to Valasco Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Weems report they like Valasco for its fishing and hunting.

BRITISH ADVANCING RAPIDLY IN SYRIA

British and Free French armies were penetrating rapidly into Syria Monday.

Using the Blitzkreig tactics of the Germans the Allied forces were advancing so rapidly that the British announced that Damascus, oldest inhabited city in the world would be captured.

In Washington Gaston Henry Haye, French Ambassador, lodged a protest with the State Department, denouncing the invasion as an act of aggression by Britain.

With Frenchmen fighting Frenchmen, the war had taken still another queer turn.

The British were taking precautions to deal with an expected German attack through Syria. Those who know what will happen say that Germany will attack Gibraltar also and perhaps the British isles soon to end the war.

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In Turkey the government said it would have no part in the war. The concentration of more German soldiers on the Russian border was taken with only passing interest by the Democracies. Germany would not have a war with Russia also. Whatever happens is by agreement between Hitler and Stalin, best informed observers said.

Several of the Cameron ball fans enjoyed a good game of ball Sunday in Waco. The score was Don's 2, Randolph Field Flyers 1.

Cameron Firemen On Way to Convention In Wichita Falls

The following Cameron Firemen are on their way to Wichita Falls for the annual convention of Texas Volunteer Firemen:

John P. Eans and wife, Oscar Schiller, Dean White, Buck Slavik, Joe Richter, Frank Richter, Sr., Albert Richter and wife, Anges Macal, Blondie Brashear, Mary Rocher, Jerry Mikula and wife and John C. Andres and wife.

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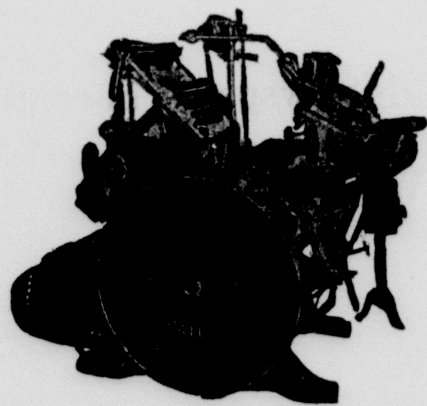
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NOTABLE NEWS EVENTS IN PICTURES



LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON—Preparations for opening of trotting season at Roosevelt Raceway, Westbury, Long Island, find little Jimmy Morrill, age 6, son of blacksmith at track, doing his bit.



PEACE QUEEN—As a token of hope for world peace, Mary Gibson of New Rochelle, N. Y., will reign as "Peace Queen" at College of New Rochelle festival.



JUST NUTS ABOUT IT—This little squirrel who fell from a nest in Rochester, N. Y., before his eyes were open, doesn't miss his ma much. Geraldine Mensing keeps him happy with "store milk."



"STRIP TEASE"—This started out to be a "strip-tease" act by Wise County, Texas, farmers, protesting disparity between farm and general commodity prices, but churchmen called a halt.



BLACK SHEEP MAKES GOOD—The black sheep of the human variety is usually a ne'er-do-well, but the black sheep of Rawlins, Wyo., herd provided the black wool for these black blankets to be used as black-out precaution blinds over windows in England. Cowgirls help pack 'em.



BUCK PRIVATE BILL MARTIN swapping his \$4,000-a-month job as head of the New York Stock Exchange for a \$21-a-month job as buck private in the army.



SAND, NOT SEA—African desert assumes all the appearance of a choppy sea as Nazi infantrymen advance toward Egyptian border in North African campaign. Wind-blown sand and glare of sun accounts for what seems to be foamy wave in foreground. (Passed by German censor).



MOST BEAUTIFUL—Mary Ann Keiser, age 4, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harry R. Keiser of Chicago, has been named "America's most beautiful child" in contest sponsored by group of national magazines.



CURTAIN COMES DOWN, GOES UP—It was curtains for Dizzy Dean, pitcher, as he packed up in Chicago Cubs' dressing room following "retirement," but immediately he set out on a new career as coach, as club officials rehired him in that capacity.



JANE MORGAN, chosen as "Chili Pepper Queen" to rule over Riverside, Calif., De Anza Days celebration.



ON MEDITERRANEAN PATROL—Confidence in his ship and gun is expressed in the face of this Australian anti-aircraftman aboard H. M. A. S. Perth, one of the units patrolling the Mediterranean, scene of bitter fighting between German and English bombing planes and warships.

Restoring La Villita, Spanish Village in Texas

By W. N. BEARD

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THE city of San Antonio is restoring the little Spanish village of La Villita, situated on the east bank of the San Antonio river, within a few blocks of the downtown district.

Restoration plans will be architectural and cultural with a bit of the modern in plumbing and lighting.

Founded by the Spaniards in 1722, La Villita buildings show ravages of time, yet the buildings retain much of the Spanish colonial, Texas colonial, French and German immigration.

O'Neil Ford, supervising architect of the project, says: "These houses are not a self-conscious architecture. They were built by men seeking a new and a permanent home in a new and primitive land; they are elemental structures, providing a minimum of comfort and of shelter."

Long before white men came to Texas La Villita was an Indian village. Writings of Cabeza de Vaca, the first white man to explore Texas, indicate that he visited La Villita in 1536. It was then a village of the Conhuiltecans Indians.

Robert T. Hill, Texas historian, says "La Villita is the oldest identified village within the present limits of the United States."

Villita, therefore, is of great age and historical importance to Texas and the Southwest. Over it has flown six flags—France, Spain, Mexico, Republic of

Texas, the Confederate States and the United States.

Drama of Stirring Events

A symbol of old and new world cultures, this little town has passed through a drama of stirring events. Through the centuries it has survived Indian raids, rebellions, epidemics, famines, wars, and the rise and fall of governments.

Its homes have entertained Spanish viceroys, Franciscan padres, conquistadores, cavaliers, explorers and men prominent in the affairs of the Texas Republic. Deaf Smith, San Jacinto Battle

scout, lived there with his young bride. Jack Hays, Indian fighter and ranger captain, General Edward Burleson and James Bowie were residents of La Villita. General Cos, brother-in-law of Santa Anna, lived for several years in the house at 513 Villita street. It was in this low, narrow and thick-walled house

that Cos, December 11, 1835, surrendered his army to General Burleson after the Battle of San Antonio. Terms of surrender provided for withdrawal of the Mexican army from Texas.

La Villita is linked inseparably with the mission San Antonio de Valero, built in 1718, and later known as the Alamo. Four years after the Alamo was built Villita became a residential section of San Antonio. The thick walls of the old Spanish buildings grimly remind that they were built for protection against Indian attacks. San

Antonio was repeatedly attacked by bands of Apaches and Comanches at intervals over a period of 125 years.

Mixture of Races

As time went on the colonization of Texas brought to La Villita a mixture of races. In 1840 came German immigrants sponsored by Count Salms-Braunfels, founder of New Braunfels. Some of the German families settled in and around Villita. In consequence a few of the Spanish buildings took on a Teutonic character as prize little gardens replaced the tropic floriculture of old patios. Still other racial elements

came—French and Polish—in the 1850's and 1860's. By 1875 San Antonio's population was predominantly Anglo-American. An exclusive residential section grew up around La Villita, threatening to wipe it out. But against this modern encroachment Villita kept its Latin atmosphere. Enough of the old Spanish buildings remain today to form a nucleus for restoring in whole and in part the Villita of early days. This work, initiated by Mayor Maury Maverick, is now going on under joint financial support of the NYA and the city of San Antonio. The Villita ordi-

nance, as adopted by the City Commission, is as follows:

"Recreating the Little Spanish Village For the Promotion of Understanding and Peace between the American Nations; To preserve Spanish and Southwestern Culture; To foster Arts and Crafts."

An Expression of Pioneer Life

Restored Villita, according to the commission, is to have a definite plan, both as to physical layout and structural purpose. It shall be properly landscaped with Texas trees, shrubs and flowers and be a living example of early day Texas architecture, an ex-

pression of pioneer life as lived by our forefathers. Several of the restored buildings have art and craft shops in

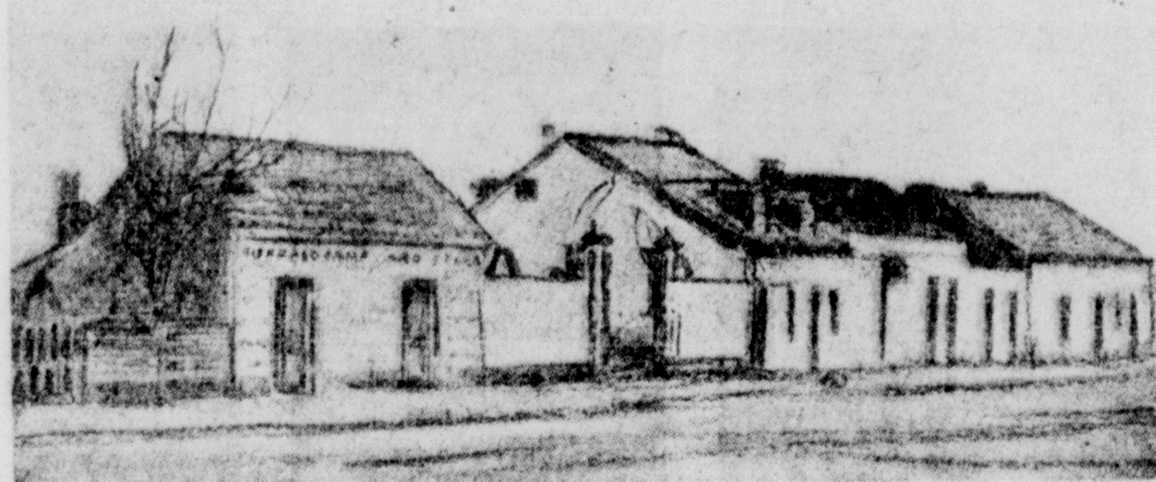
which NYA boys have produced some fine specimens of baked pottery, tile and hooked rugs. A modern museum building will be added for storing and exhibiting relics.

Plans also include a rock wall around the entire area, an inner court or plaza, fountains, acequias and other quaint shrubs and flowers. The inner court will represent a bit of old Mexico. Here Mexican food will be served while strolling caballeros and señoritas, wearing gay costumes, sing songs of their native land.

Sponsors of the Villita project deem mention for restoring this old historical landmark. Commercialism has already destroyed too many Texas landmarks. At one time the ground on which stands the Alamo was about to be sold and the Alamo building torn down. This cradle of Texas liberty was saved by the Daughters of the Confederacy who bought the land and building and made of it a shrine dedicated to Texas valor and to the 188 brave men who lost their lives defending it against an army of 6,000 Mexicans.



"Strolling caballeros and señoritas sing songs of their native land."



Old La Villita, San Antonio, founded by Spaniards in 1722.

Long-Range Heavy Bombers

By DAVID A. STEIN

ABSOLUTE command of the air by the democracies is America's goal. To attain mastery of the skies, President Roosevelt has asked Secretary of War Stimson to increase substantially the production of long-range, heavy bombers.

While details of President Roosevelt's plan have not been revealed, experts say that assembly lines in automobile factories will be used in co-operation with the airplane industry, to produce 500 heavy bombers a month. Production of these huge machines of destruction will make it easier to guard vital sea lanes and will help to win the crucial Battle of the Atlantic.

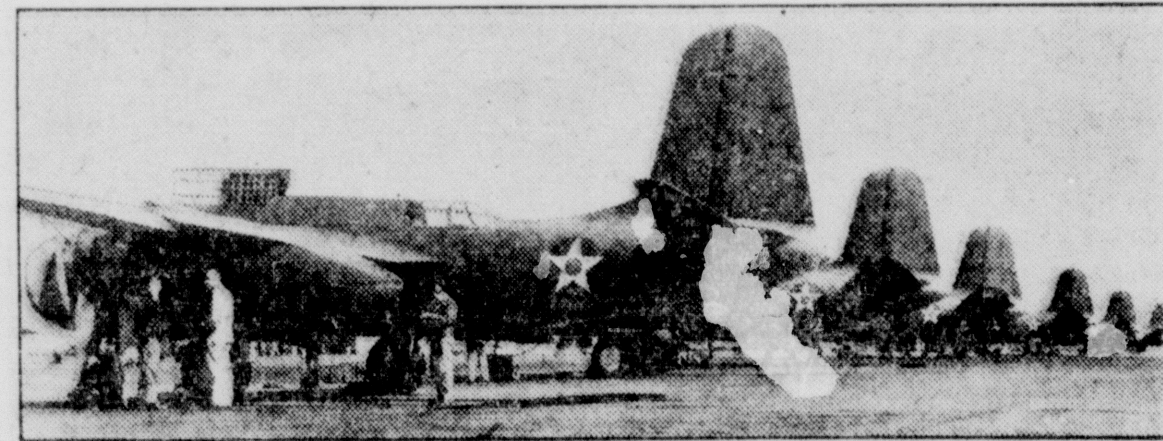
Bombardment planes now being produced for the Army Air Corps and the R. A. F. are of three general kinds: light, medium and heavy. Light bombers are designed to give fire support to ground troops by machine gun fire and

spread of 212 feet, and an overall height of 42 feet 9 inches. Four air-cooled engines generate 2,000 horsepower. Capable of attaining a speed of 200 miles an hour, the bomber has a range of 7,500 miles. It will transport a normal crew of 10 men and 18 tons of bombs. Its fuel tanks equal the capacity of a railway tank car.

B-19 Cost \$3,000,000

As a troop transport, it can carry 125 fully armed soldiers. Built at a cost of \$3,000,000, the B-19 took four years to build, and 500 engineers, technicians and mechanics were employed in its construction.

Other bombers, bigger and faster than most of those in Europe, have been designed by American aeronautical engineers. The Martin B-26 is considered by many experts to be the most powerful military striking force yet designed, because it is faster than most



Fast and formidable Douglas A-20-A attack bombers line up ready for delivery.

bombs. Medium bombers are designed for bombardment and reconnaissance missions that do not require extreme range.

Deadliest of War Machines

Heavy bombers are designed for use over land or sea, and are the most powerful and deadliest of war planes. The army wants 4,000 heavy bombers, in addition to 8,000 light bombers (which have been used with telling effect as dive bombers) and 8,000 medium bombers.

The Douglas B-19 has set new standards for aeronautical engineering and is recognized as the last word in production of giant bombers. This huge aerial dreadnaught is armed with machine guns, cannon, and huge bomb loads.

It's an all-steel bomber, with a wing

pursuit planes and incorporates the latest features demanded of military aircraft.

As this war has become more decidedly a naval and air war, the need for bombers has become more apparent. Pursuit planes are defensive weapons, vitally important, but unable to strike effectively at the enemy's bases of war-making power. The hope of an ultimate British victory rests very largely on the use of tremendous numbers of bombers to blast German submarine bases, German air fields, German factories and European transportation centers and channels.

The battle for the island of Crete proves the great value of heavy long-range bombers. Britain had to withdraw her light fighting planes from Crete and substitute her bombing planes from Egyptian bases.

that the Battle of Crete is of such definite importance, for the air-borne troops that have invaded Crete have leaped above the British fleet that guards the sixty miles of water between Crete and the Peloponnesus. The objective this time is not the Home Front but an island important in strategic schemes of further conquest. But the air-borne invasion of Crete, nevertheless, has ignored sea power; sea power could not prevent it; land power could only fight it, on its own element, the land.

The Germans established a foothold on Crete by full utilization of all the capabilities of air power, and if they are to stay there it will be because of air power.

Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall. I Cor. 10:12.

Texas Vacation Spots

By JACK WHITEHEAD

(Texas Almanac 1941-1942)

HERE shall we spend our vacation is a question uppermost in the minds of thousands of Texans.

For those who prefer to spend a vacation in Texas there are four distinct regions that can be visited, any one of which should prove pleasant and interesting.

These regions include in a broad sense the entire Texas Gulf Coast, the mountainous Trans-Pecos region of West Texas, the Edwards Plateau of Southwest Texas commonly referred to as the Hill Country, and the East Texas forest belt including four national forests and the famous Big Thicket.

White sand beaches extend along the Texas Gulf Coast for hundreds of miles. Motoring along these smooth, sand beaches is delightful and surf bathing is available at most beaches. There are many protected bays where small boats are safe and where sail-boating can be enjoyed. There are cool breezes from the Gulf to offset hot days and nights.

Trans-Pecos

The Trans-Pecos region of West Texas is a high plateau out of which several mountain ranges rise. It includes the Davis mountains, the Guadalupe mountains, and the mountains of the rugged Big Bend country. The whole region is popular as a summer vacation land of a rugged sort and is becoming more popular every year as more people discover its distinctive charm.

Fort Davis, in the heart of the Davis mountains, is a mecca for the patrons of guest ranches that are numerous in this section. Here is the colorful cow country of the best western tradition in a setting of scenic values and exhilarating climate. The near-by Davis Mountains State Park with its picturesque Indian Lodge, the McDonald Observatory on the top of Mount Locke and old Fort Davis are of special interest to visitors.

The Big Bend is that vast mountainous region that is half encircled by the Rio Grande, which in threading its way through the mountains toward the Gulf of Mexico is forced to flow north-east for about a hundred miles. It is a land of deep canyons, of open plains and high mountains, some heavily wooded on their upper slopes. Recently the Texas House of Representatives appropriated \$1,500,000 to purchase 788,000 acres of land in the Big Bend area for a national park.

The High Guadalupe

The Guadalupe mountains offer another important recreational area with great possibilities in the Trans-Pecos region. Here are the highest mountains in Texas rising abruptly thou-

sands of feet above the surrounding plateau. Guadalupe Peak (8,751 feet) is higher than any mountain east of it in the United States. In the heart of Texas' highest mountains is McKittrick Canyon, one of the foremost beauty spots in Texas. A luxuriant growth of trees and shrubs line its walls and springs of clear cold water make a rushing stream along its floor. Here is rugged grandeur coupled with the quiet restfulness of tall trees.

The Edward's Plateau, generally known as the Hill Country of Southwest Texas, extending through many counties lying west and northwest of San Antonio, has long been a vacation spot where the people of Texas go to escape summer heat. The clear streams, the green wooded hills and the



Santa Helena Canyon, on Rio Grande, in Big Bend.

cool nights have drawn Texans every summer for many years. There are "dude ranches" and vacation camps in this section, and some of the best-organized recreative camps in the South are located here.

"Piney Woods" of East Texas

East Texas has a pine forest belt about the size of the State of Indiana. There are four national forests in this region, which are recreational grounds. The United States Forest Service has developed a number of spots throughout the four national forests to meet local needs. Fishing is usually good throughout this forest region. Caddo Lake is considered one of the best fresh-water fishing spots in the South.

The Big Thicket of Southwest Texas with its almost impenetrable jungle growth is of great interest to nature lovers. It comprises in a general way Polk county and the several surrounding counties. Much of this region is covered by the thick vegetation

of a primeval forest which abounds with wild life of many kinds. This section is close to the great population centers of the State and can become a very important recreational center that will be available for even lower-income groups.

Local Parks

City recreation departments in Texas are broadening their range of activity to take care of the greater demand. City parks provide playgrounds for children and adults. All of the larger cities in Texas have well-developed municipal parks; notable among these are Max Starcke Park at Seguin and Landa Park at New Braunfels. Max Starcke Park opened in 1938 and has received national recognition for its completeness in equipment and program.

Variety of Scenery

Because of its enormous size, Texas has a great variety of recreational areas. Palo Duro Canyon, a deep colorful gorge in the high plains of the Panhandle, presents an extreme contrast to Caddo Lake in East Texas with its Big Cypress Bayou and moss-draped woodlands. Then there is Goose Island State Park on the Texas coast with broad white sand beaches and excellent salt-water fishing in contrast with the Davis Mountains State Park and Big Bend. Longhorn Cavern State Park, near Burnet in Central Texas, includes a wonderful subterranean cavern. Also there are numerous areas over the State that were the scenes of significant events in the early history of Texas. Some of these have been acquired by the State Park Board and are being preserved and restored as memorials to the early day heroes of Texas. Fort Parker, an old Indian fort, built of cedar, has been restored near Mexia, (Limestone county). This was the scene of the Indian massacre of 1836 in which the famous Cynthia Ann Parker was captured. A recreational area is being developed nearby on a 700-acre lake that was formed by a dam on the Navasota river.

One of the recent acquisitions of the State Park Board is the old townsite of San Felipe de Austin on the Brazos river near Houston. San Felipe was established by Stephen F. Austin in 1823 as the seat of the first colony in Texas from the United States. Once the capital of the Republic of Texas, it is one of the most significant historical spots in the State.

Air Power Against Sea Power

By HANSON W. BALDWIN

(The New York Times)

The "strange, grim" battle for Crete, as Prime Minister Churchill called it, ushered in a new era in warfare and again underscored air power as the arm of the future. In detail the German use of parachute troops and air-borne infantry against Crete was not essentially different from previous operations of those troops. But a glider-borne army was employed for the first time in war and the scope and daring of the operation—the first assault in which an army has been transported by air across a strait of ocean—marked a new employment of air power.

In Poland, in France, in Greece and Yugoslavia the plane was an indispensable ingredients of the Blitzkrieg tech-

nique. It was used to blast enemy airfields, railroads and communication lines and then as flying artillery to dive-bomb fortifications and lines of resistance and to provide the mobile "artillery" support to the Panzer divisions which is essential to their success.

Against the Fleet

Now along the entire Western Coast of Europe, air power has been used against sea power; dive bombers and torpedo planes and high-altitude bombers have smashed at the British fleet, in effect trying to extend German control of the land out into the high seas, trying to throw a blockade around Britain with the use of planes as well as submarines.

And it is in one sense for this reason

CURRENT COMMENT

By A STAFF EDITOR

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Battle of Bombs

SOMEWHERE in London recently members of the House of Commons met in temporary quarters. Their famous oak-paneled chamber in the Houses of Parliament had been wrecked by bombs during one of the war's worst nocturnal raids. The 75-foot-long room where the Commons had held its debates since 1852 gaped open to the skies. Twisted girders, charred beams and the debris of masonry buried the green benches, the tables beside which Disraeli and Gladstone had stood and thundered. Other sections of Parliament's home—which sprawls over eight acres—were damaged, but less badly. Big Ben, atop the battered 320-foot Clock Tower, still rang out the hours.

Across the street from Parliament's houses incendiary bombs had burned through the roof of Westminster Abbey, the nation's shrine and spiritual symbol of the empire. The damage was not confined to London's architectural masterpieces and historical landmarks. On both sides of the gleaming Thames, which reflected a bright moon's rays, the Nazi raiders had dropped their cargoes.

Britain's air forces struck at the German capital. The wings of the R. A. F. were wide and British bombers dropped heavy explosives and fire bombs on Germany's great port of Hamburg, on the island fortress of Helgoland, on Bremen, Mannheim and coastal towns in France and the Low Countries.

"Black Gold"

The oil wells of the United States last year yielded 1,351,847,000 barrels of crude petroleum; the rest of the world produced 794,258,000 barrels. The fields in Texas alone yield more than twice the amount of any foreign nation, and the State accounts for more than one-third of the total domestic production. Much of the oil from Texas and other Gulf States is used in the great manufacturing centers of the East. In recent years 95 per cent of the petroleum moved to the Atlantic Coast has been transported by tankers. The nation's tanker fleet includes some 320 large, ocean-going tankers totaling about 3,000,000 gross tons.

There is another way of sending Texas oil to the Atlantic coast—by pumping the "black gold" through some of the country's 126,000 miles of pipeline. The overland routes, however, have proved far more costly than shipments by sea. Despite the higher cost, crude oil was being pumped through 1,700 miles of pipelines from East Tex-

as to the Standard Oil Company's refineries at Bayonne, N. J. The reason for Standard Oil's shift to the pipelines was a tanker shortage.

The shortage had arisen principally from the recent agreement of the oil companies to turn over fifty large tankers to the British government. Members of the oil trade said that the loss of the vessels—twenty-five have already been transferred—would strain the country's oil transportation facilities to the utmost, that the cost of the long overland haul would greatly increase petroleum prices in the East. At the request of the Office of Production Management a fact-finding committee of oil men began a study of the petroleum transportation problem.

The British plea for the American vessels came, some thought, as a result of Germany's submarine drive against tankers flying Britain's flag.

Our Man Power

The Selective Service system has been informed by the Census Bureau that there are in the United States 19,717,411 males of ages between 18 and 35 and 16,072,144 between 21 and 35. Of the latter group 14,456,662 are white and 1,615,482 are non-white.

The bureau put the man power of the country by year ages as follows:

Age	White	Non-White
18.....	1,108,318	134,521
19.....	1,104,294	127,378
20.....	1,044,966	125,790
21.....	1,014,813	113,543
22.....	1,034,326	115,235
23.....	1,017,194	114,752
24.....	1,007,237	113,976
25.....	1,040,514	117,291
26.....	1,003,601	113,607
27.....	977,225	110,834
28.....	955,557	109,309
29.....	933,637	107,238
30.....	946,875	103,998
31.....	933,264	100,493
32.....	919,742	98,264
33.....	906,781	98,079
34.....	894,282	99,137
35.....	881,514	99,726

Air Training for Youth

Working through 900 local club and school groups scattered throughout the nation, Air Youth of America, a non-profit national organization devoted to fostering youthful interest in aviation, brought aviation training of a preliminary sort to a quarter of a million boys and girls of school age last year, according to a report entitled "America's Youth and Aviation," which the organization released recently.

By using model airplanes many young persons were taught elementary lessons about full-scale aviation. Many of the boys and girls taking part in the work last year had not previously taken part in aviation activities, the report continued.

China's Women Aid Soldiers in Field

American women physicians are attempting to get military status in order to serve the nation in case of war, but in China, according to a report received at headquarters of United China Relief, in New York City, hundreds of Chinese women already are at work as doctors, nurses, dressers, and pharmacists with the Chinese forces.

One Chinese women's unit, known as "Friends of Wounded Soldiers," the report said, supervises the soldiers' food and hygiene, directs mosquito and vermin control and even treats skin diseases.

Mobilization of women for war service under Mme. Chiang-kai-shek is the most extensive in history, the report indicated. They are functioning, it was revealed, not only as farm workers, in factories, as laundresses, cooks, teachers, dieticians, as caretakers for war orphans, the disabled and the aged, but even as soldiers, guerrilla fighters, saboteurs and army orderlies.

Struggle for the Mediterranean

Another chapter in the struggle for the Mediterranean, particularly the Eastern Mediterranean, has opened as Germany forced a new agreement with Vichy and Axis planes landed in Syria and Iraq and Crete. The stage apparently was rapidly being set for a full extension of the zone of war and for resumption of military operations on a large scale.

These far-flung events—separated by thousands of miles of sea and land—are nevertheless all related to the central struggle for control of the Mediterranean basin. It is a struggle that will be dominated in its next phase, particularly in the Eastern Mediterranean, by air power. It will be a struggle of air power and land power versus sea power and land power and air power, with the Germans striving seriously for the first time in this war to burst the bounds of the Continent of Europe and to push beyond the British-dominated seas to Africa and Asia.

It will be a struggle complicated for both sides by long and inadequate lines of communication, some of them subject at their focal points to assault by the enemy. It will be a struggle for the domination of the oil fields of the Middle East, the cotton of Egypt and the foodstuffs of the Levant. It will be a struggle for the domination of the Arab world and for the naval bases at Alexandria and Haifa. It will be a struggle for Suez, for Crete and for control of the sea-borne lines of communication in the Mediterranean.

In the struggle for the Mediterranean the fates of four nations—France,

Spain, Turkey and Russia—are intimately tied up, with Britain and Germany locked in a campaign that may eventually decide the outcome of the war.

Plastic Car in Making

If America's rearmament program sharply limits steel for automobiles, it is possible that motorists will drive cars with bodies made of entirely new materials, in the opinion of George W. Walker, industrial designer.

Because the nation must be kept on wheels, new body materials notably plastic, will be adapted rapidly to automotive uses by the motor industry, says Mr. Walker, stylist of a leading make of car and of many auto accessories.

Already there is a strong movement afoot to replace the steel in automobile bodies with plastic materials, if the needs arises. One evidence is Henry Ford's statement that his company plans to produce plastic-bodied cars. A Ford research scientist recently said such cars will appear "soon."

"In the last half-decade scientists have made rapid progress in the development of strong plastic materials," Mr. Walker points out. "Plastics can make a distinct contribution to the cause of national defense by enabling the steel industry, now operating practically at capacity, to devote more and more of its output to urgently needed war materials."

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Garner State Park

Garner State Park, named in honor of Texas' favorite son and former Vice-President John Nance Garner, was officially opened May 1.

Garner Park, one of thirty-four Texas State parks, which vary in size from about fifty acres to the Big Bend Park, has within its boundaries of 640 acres a far greater variety of terrain, flora and fauna, water and boulders, than can be found in many parks of greater size. It is easily accessible to excellent highways and a scant thirty miles from "Cactus Jack" Garner's home town of Uvalde.

Five years ago the present site of Garner Park was a wilderness seldom penetrated by man. After five years of work by the CCC it is now a beauty spot.

Sun, Water, Sky

A man is never too old and seldom too young to love the sun and the water—the skies, the seas, the lakes and streams. And of all the seasons, spring is the time when thoughts turn most strongly to these eternal forces. Spring is the sun's season, and the rain's. A spring sunrise is full of new leaves, new flowers, new songs and awakening life. A spring sunset is an evensong of eager life pausing only in order to gather breath for another day.

Both sun and water have been guide and companion to man since time immemorial. Feuds and wars and pestilence and death may scourge the tribes of man, but overhead the sun continues its unwavering rounds and down from the hills the streams still run to the lakes, and to the seas where the tides never fail.

When the countryman reaches for a symbol of certainty he says, "As sure as the sun rises," or "As sure as water runs downhill." The sun warms man's blood and makes his fields flourish, it meters his time and warms his faith with its inevitability. The waters of the earth slake his thirst and cool and cleanse his body; they rise as clouds and fall as rain to nourish his crops. With the sun and the earth, the waters complete an elemental trinity of life.

When man first set forth to new

lands, his going was beside the waters or upon them. He traveled down the streams to the lakes and across the lakes to the lands beyond; and he traveled down the river valleys to the sea. Because the rivers were his highways, it was on their banks that he built his first towns; and on the seacoast, beside the great waters of this earth, man built his cities.

Towns and cities rise and fall, but the waters remain and the sun is eternal. Stand on a shore and watch a sunrise or a sunset and you are seeing not beauty alone, but elemental forces. The sunset takes its color from the clouds, but the sun has mustered those clouds from the rivers, from the remote lakes, from the rolling seas off a lonely shore. Beauty is there; but beyond the beauty is the reassurance of waters that will flow forever and a sun that has never failed to rise.—Hal Borland.

New Giant of Forest

After finding what is believed to be the world's largest known standing Douglas fir tree, Les D. Lloyd, Oregon forester, has declined to reveal its location until he is satisfied that it will be spared by woodsmen, who are already cutting down the grove where it stands.

Leo Isaac, United States forester, called by Mr. Lloyd to make accurate measurements of the tree, declared the giant had a diameter of 15.5 feet at 4.5 feet above the ground. Its top is broken off 210 feet above the mass of burs which have gathered through the centuries over its powerful roots. Mr. Lloyd, who sells and buys timber, has estimated that the tree contains 105,560 board feet, a greater volume than in any other known Douglas fir.

The fir timber belt lies in what is known as the "fog belt," stretching near the Pacific Ocean from British Columbia to the California line, where all timbers grow large.

English Newspapers Smaller

Paper rationing has been drastic in England which has always depended on Norway, Sweden and Canada for her wood pulp. Now that the Scandinavian countries are completely cut off and Canada's supply is limited by the difficulty of shipping, the press of Britain is forced to get along with less than 30 per cent of the amount it normally consumes.

The English week-day daily newspaper is now about six pages and the Sunday editions twelve pages. There are more and narrower columns on the page, the print is smaller and the advertisements are infinitesimal in size and few in number. Big headlines are out.

Newspapers are saved by the English housewife for repurposing. It is difficult for her to save many of the six daily pages, though, especially when she takes her own paper along to the butcher so he'll have something to wrap the meat in. Nicely wrapped parcels are rarities in England now. No one dares shop without a shopping bag. And neither does any one ask to have things delivered to the home. You carry home packages in your arms. Rationing of cars, drivers and gasoline is responsible.

Army Has "Panzer Killer"

Development of a new type of anti-tank weapon known as "a panzer killer," has been revealed by Army ordnance experts. They confined their description of it to a single sentence:

"The Army has under development a self-propelled anti-tank gun mount-motorized."

This description would indicate that the new weapon combines in one vehicle the gun and its motor transport, which ordinarily consists of a separate tow truck.

The American Family By George



"We revisit our old spooning grounds after all these years and what do you do—start working on the car."

Grass Root Reveries

By JOE GANDY

Winnabowo, Texas.

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JUNE is a marrying month and June weddings are notable events. Brides are more beautiful in June and bridegrooms are more venturesome. However, a June wedding is no guarantee that a living can be made or that there will be more domestic tranquillity. Young folks fall in love more easily during May and June when flowers are blooming, birds singing and the moon riding romantically high and handsome. But the month to marry in does not matter. I have seen as many matrimonial ships go on the rocks that sailed in June as in December. This marrying business is still a great gamble. There's no set rule for marital happiness or success. Best chance for success is to trust the Lord and bring home the bacon.



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enough of one kind or another without fighting insects. I've come to the conclusion that the insect world is ruled by dictators. These dictators want to enslave the human race by force and make everybody either nazist, fascist or communist. I may be just jittery because of reading war news but it seems to me that Hitler and insects have ganged up on the democracies.

I see in the paper where a woman in out her husband to another woman a whole year for \$10,000. That establishes a bad precedent. I clipped the article out of the paper so wife wouldn't see it. I have a premonition she would rent me out a whole year for much less than \$10,000. In fact, I suspect there are wives who would rent out their husbands a whole year for 10 bucks each. And wives who support their husbands would rent them out a year for 10 cents each.

A scientist has published the statement that the sun will have used up all its fuel in 10 billion years and afterward the earth will be in total darkness. Scientists are always predicting some terrible catastrophe that's going to happen to the earth a few million years hence. When I was a child they talked about the stars falling and about some star that had broken away from its orbit and was headed straight for the earth at a thousand miles a minute. I used to lay awake nights afraid some star or comet would crash into the earth. But as I get older I feel surer that nothing of this kind will happen. The Great Creator of the universe sees to it that the stars and planets move in regular order according to a well-ordained plan. Man might take a lesson from the orderliness of the universe. But man thinks he is smarter than God and consequently makes a monkey of himself.

Nature can beat any florist raising flowers. For miles around our farm home the land is covered with millions of wild flowers. I don't know the botanical names of one-tenth of them but I know they look beautiful as the gentle breezes waft them to and fro.

While in a big bank the other day I watched the tellers handle thousands of dollars. They checked and tossed stacks of currency around like they were bundles of hay. As I looked on I got the impression that this money meant nothing to the tellers, it was just part of a day's work. They even looked bored by having to handle so much money. A little later I went outside and a colored boy politely asked me if he might shine my shoes. When through I gave him a dime—and a smile of supreme joy lit up his face as he pocketed the coin. There may or may not be a moral to this story. But it does show that money is relative, that thousands of other peoples' dollars are nothing compared to a dime that is your own and that you have earned honestly.

The din of city life drowns out the still small voice of nature. Wherefore, the other night I strolled to a quiet little spot out in the countryside and sat down on a tree stump. The moon rode high and lit up the sylvan scene with a soft glow. A lone whippoorwill sang at intervals. It all had a soothing effect after listening to the city's traffic horns, traffic police whistles and the raucous cry by newsboys of headline war news. There was peace all around me—no bombing, no machine-gunning. It's great to live in a country that lets you live your own life your own way. God bless America.

As I write this column the session of the Texas Legislature is about over. We have labored hard and have tried to do our best. Some things were not done as well as we wanted them done. But that's water below the bridge and we shall try to forget it. A legislative body faces two clamorous groups of citizens—the haves and the have-nots. Both groups take up most of a Legislature's time. If you are fair to both groups you are charged with being unfair to one group. That's what makes a representative "sweat great drops of blood."

BRIEF TEXAS NEWS---from Over the State

STATE AND WAYSIDE PARKS
In addition to 47 State parks, there are 750 Wayside parks in Texas along its State highways.

COTTON RESEARCH WEEK
Spotlighting the Cotton Research Congress to be held in Waco, June 26 to 28, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel proclaimed the week beginning June 22 as "Cotton Research Congress Week."

OLD AGE PENSION CHECKS
Old age assistance checks averaging \$11.46 each were mailed in May to 133,569 needy Texans over 65 years old, State Welfare Director J. S. Murchison said. The April payment to 128,835 recipients averaged \$14.35.

BAT OUTLAWED
Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's signature converted into law a bill outlawing use of the bat, a form of whip, in the State's Prison System. The measure making use of the instrument a misdemeanor, was finally passed by the Legislature.

HEROIC LITTLE DOG
Waco Times-Herald: "A hero's funeral was held for Tiny, the pet dog of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ellington, of Dallas. He scratched at their bedroom door when their house caught fire, arousing them in time to escape. Tiny was found dead in front of the door, suffocated by smoke."

LIGHTNING FRIES EGGS
Houston Chronicle: "During a severe electrical storm, lightning struck a house occupied by a negro family on the outskirts of Center, (Shelby county), and fried eggs in a can in the kitchen. The stove was cracked and some dishes in the kitchen broken. None of the occupants of the house was injured."

5,265,570 TOURISTS VISIT TEXAS
At least 5,265,570 tourists visited Texas last year, and spent \$306,264,265, according to an estimate which has been released by Philip Fuller, director of the Conoco Travel Bureau, the largest free service organization for motorists in the country.

BANS WOMEN IN SHORTS
Camp Bowie, Brownwood, official orders read: "The practice of female members of families in this command of wearing shorts and halter tops within the limits of Camp Bowie is forbidden. All officers and enlisted men will take the necessary steps to see that this order is complied with by members of their families."

150 TWINS ATTEND CONVENTION
Identical, mixed, good looking and other varieties of twins swarmed upon the Baylor University campus at Waco in May for two days of Baylor's third annual Texas College Twin-vention. In all, 150 sets of doubles attended the convention.

\$5,200,000 ZINC REFINERY
The American Smelting and Refining Company, announced in New York that it had completed negotiations for establishment of an electrolytic zinc refining plant at Corpus Christi at a cost of \$5,200,000. The plant, to be financed by the company, is to be completed in about 18 months.

CHEMICAL INGREDIENTS OF MAN
University of Texas students in the chemistry and physic departments have listed the following chemical ingredients of a 150-pound man: "Oxygen, 97.5 pounds; carbon, 27 pounds; hydrogen, 15 pounds; nitrogen, 4.5 pounds; calcium, 3 pounds; phosphorus, 1.5 pounds; potassium, 8 ounces; sulphur, 6 ounces; sodium, 3.5 ounces; chlorine, 3.5 ounces; magnesium, about one ounce; iron, about one ounce; traces of iodine, fluorine and silicon."

BANK ROBBERY IN BANKLESS TOWN
Whitewright Sun: "Howe, (Grayson county), without a State or national bank, had a bank robbery the other night. Sixth grade students had operated their own bank all year, saving pennies to buy a radio. They had \$4.80 on deposit, and were within 20c of their goal. The final 20c was brought to school, but too late. Robbers had visited the room during the night, had broken the bank and taken the \$4.80."

"SNAKES SHALL CRAWL"
Austin American: "Worshippers had gathered at the negro Union Church in Kilgore, (Gregg county), for an inspirational talk by the preacher on Amos 5:19, a Bible passage which says, in effect, 'You shall see a lion outside, and snakes shall crawl upon the wall.' Some inspired brethren glanced at the wall—and were horrified to see a snake, crawling in the window. Pandemonium broke loose. After the congregation quieted down, a negro school teacher killed the snake."

THE BOAT SAVED THE DAY
Rapkin Smith and Jimmy Davis, of Waco, went fishing at the junction of the Bosque river and Lake Waco. They caught one 2-pound bass that flopped into their boat, the only catch of the day.

PRISON SYSTEM REPORT
A late report of the Texas Prison System discloses that of the 6,070 inmates in prison last year, 5,952 were men and 118 were women. Burglary led the list of crimes. A total of 1,582 were in prison charged with burglary.

NEW INDUSTRIES
Capitalization of new domestic corporations in Texas for 1940 was \$24,138,000, compared to \$22,445,000 for 1939, records of the Secretary of State's Office reveal. The great majority of the new charters were granted to concerns with capitalization less than \$5,000.

WATERMELON FESTIVAL
Hempstead, (Waller county), will have a Watermelon Festival July 4, 5 and 6. Elaborate plans are being made for the entertainment under the sponsorship of Hempstead's Junior Chamber of Commerce. The Waller county watermelon crop last year brought growers approximately \$40,000. Hempstead is one of the largest watermelon shipping points in South Texas and some years has shipped as high as 1,000 carloads each year.

TRAINEES TOLD TO TRAVEL LIGHT
"Travel light and avoid undue inconvenience," General J. W. Watt Page, State Selective Service director, has advised all trainees called for induction into the nation's armed forces. "A change of underwear and socks, shaving set, toilet articles and other such things," he said, "are all a selective needs until he is outfitted by the army."

Sired BY MAN O' WAR
A handsome filly sired by Man o' War was foaled by On Hand at the King Ranch stables, near Kingsville. This makes the fourth baby of a derby winner to be added to the King Ranch stables within the past 30 days.

12-GRADE SYSTEM ADOPTED
The 12-grade system will be adopted generally in Texas schools next term, the State Department of Education said. Suggested plans of procedure for changing from the 11-grade to the 12-grade system have been sent to county and local school superintendents by State Superintendent L. A. Woods.

WINS \$1,000 PRIZE FOR 'OPOSSUM PELT
Morris O. Huse, farmer of Cranfills Gap, (Bosque county), received a check for \$1,000 in return for an 'opossum pelt that he entered in the National Fur Show. In competition with trappers from all over the United States and Alaska, who market more than a million skins of all types, he was named first award winner in the twelfth show.

MEMORIAL TO HIGHWAY PATROLMEN
A memorial to Texas Highway Patrolmen who have been killed in line of duty has been placed in headquarters of the Department of Public Safety at Austin. The memorial includes names and photographs of the following men: Arthur Fisher, A. L. Moore, J. N. Avery, M. D. Tarrant, G. A. Freese, D. A. McGonagill, H. D. Murphy and E. E. Wheeler.

164-FOOT SHAFT WILL BE SUNK TO ODESSA METEOR
Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the Bureau of Economic Geology, University of Texas, said a 164-foot shaft would be sunk to the top of the Odessa meteor, which buried itself centuries ago into the West Texas soil. Ten miles west of Odessa, (Ector county), the crater is second in size in the United States. It is now partially filled with rock debris. Construction of the shaft should be finished late in July, Dr. Sellards said.

PAPER MILL GETS ORDER FROM CHINA
A contract calling for the delivery of 1000 tons of newsprint to private buyers in Shanghai, China, was closed recently by the Southland Paper Mills of Lufkin.

DENSITY OF TEXAS POPULATION
There are 24.3 persons to every square mile in Texas, the Census Bureau reported in a survey of the density of our population. Little Rhode Island with 713,346 persons living on its 1058 square miles still has the most dense population in the country—674.2 persons per square mile.

ARMY LEASES 4,000,000 ACRES IN EAST TEXAS
Government agents are now leasing approximately 4,000,000 acres of land in thirteen deep East Texas counties for fall army maneuvers to begin September 3 and continue through to September 30, with an estimated 550,000 troops participating.

AIMED AT RAT, SHOOT OFF TOE
G. W. Ennis, Fort Worth fireman, had been pestered with rats around his home. When he saw a big rat in his garage he grabbed his shotgun and blazed away with the result that he shot off the tip of his right toe. The rat escaped.

SNAKEBITE FATAL TO CRIPPLED MAN
Laredo Times: "Francis M. Burch, age 59, a crippled man engaged in farming on the Antonio Sandoval farm eight miles north of Laredo, was found dead in the bed of his home with a large coral snake coiled up on the pillow beside his head. His death was due to a bite inflicted by the snake in his right side."



TAKING NO CHANCES—There'll be no A. W. O. L. among her soldier customers if pretty Jean Watkins, waitress in Fort Worth, Texas, waffle house can help it. Two visitors from Camp Bowie, Brownwood, have been tagged for return to post "in case they forget."

SURVIVES 38,000-VOLT SHOCK
McAllen Monitor: "Abel Galvan, 21-year-old youth of Mission, was doing 'fairly well' at County-City hospital after a 38,000-volt electrical charge had passed through his body as he attempted to strike a match on a live wire on a power pole."

HALF BRIDGE WASHES INTO FARMER'S FIELD
Luther Cummings, farmer near Mulberry, (Fannin county), awoke one morning to discover that half of a perfectly good bridge was resting high and dry in his field. The bridge, a temporary span erected by the Denison Dam contractors, was swept away in a recent Red river flood.

665,595 VISIT SAN JACINTO MONUMENT
Nearly two-thirds of a million persons have visited the San Jacinto monument since it was erected, said Director Ike Moore. The final count showed 665,595 visitors—348,840 the first year and 316,755 the second year. The average daily attendance during the two years was 916.

NEWEST STATE PARK DEDICATED
Fort Parker State Park, near Mexia, was formally dedicated by former Governor Pat M. Neff, president of Baylor University. Recalling the historical massacre at Fort Parker in 1836 when Cynthia Ann Parker was captured by the Indians, to live most of her life as an Indian squaw, Neff also dedicated the park to the memory of the heroes of early Texas.

HIGHWAY LANDSCAPING
Appropriations totaling \$113,500 for highway landscaping under the 1942 Federal aid program has been announced by the Texas Highway Commission.

BUILD HOUSE IN ONE HOUR
Waco News-Tribune: "A team of defense housing workers built a house, complete with furniture and utilities, in an hour. The house was erected at Avion village, a defense housing project near Dallas. The contest was staged to demonstrate the value of prefabrication and the speed which is possible in defense housing construction."

PICK CITRUS FRUIT FROM ROWBOATS
Torrential rains on May 5 in the lower Rio Grande Valley flooded citrus orchards and compelled some of the growers to gather their fruit from rowboats. E. M. Tanner's 62-acre orchard, north of San Juan, was under three feet of water.

RARE OPERATION
Patricia Cotten, 2-month-old baby, at Southwestern General Hospital, El Paso, is recovering from a rare operation. She's the baby who was born with the dead-end esophagus, is fed through a tube in her stomach, and weighs 8½ pounds. She was operated on when she was nine days old. "Patricia has as good a chance to live as any baby in El Paso," her doctor said.

STOCKS OF WHEAT AT TEXAS MILLS
Stocks of wheat in Texas interior mills, elevators and warehouses on April 1 were estimated by the Agricultural Marketing Service at 9,125,000 bushels, by far the largest April 1 stocks since estimates were begun in 1931. Stocks a year ago were 4,650,000 bushels, largest to that date.

CATTLE POPULATION
Texas again leads all States in cattle population, according to U. S. Census. Leading States, in order of cattle population were: Texas, 6,281,537; Iowa, 4,213,010; Wisconsin, 3,236,686; Minnesota, 3,090,394; Nebraska, 2,559,136; Kansas, 2,507,571; Missouri, 2,471,024; Illinois, 2,455,381; Oklahoma, 2,194,647, and California, 2,056,239.

CAUSES FOR REJECTING DRAFTEES
Lieutenant Colonel J. W. E. H. Beck, chief of the medical division of the State Selective Service, headquarters at Austin, listed the number of draftees rejected and causes for rejection as follows: Syphilis, 1982 persons; eye defects, 1306; hernia, 861; defective teeth, 817; cardiovascular disease, 701; tuberculosis, 278; and diseases of the nervous system, 776. Of the total number of draftees classified, 17.28 per cent were classified as unfit for military service.

TEXAS VOLCANIC ASH VALUABLE
Texas volcanic ash, found extensively in Karnes and Gonzales counties, was reported to be of extraordinary quality for manufacture of China dishes, in a bulletin issued by the University of Texas.

BLIND ATTORNEY GETS LAW LICENSE
Pampa News: "Blind Lloyd Sparkman of Dallas, led by his seeing-eye dog, left the Supreme Court at Austin as a full fledged attorney. The former law student received his law license from the high tribunal in recognition of successful completion of bar examinations. Sparkman attended the University of Texas law school."

PLAN TO SWAP HISTORICAL FLAGS
A proposal to swap the Mexican battle flag taken from Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna at the Battle of San Jacinto for the Texas flag wrested from the Alamo, was made May 1 in the Texas Senate. A resolution to that effect—to "promote good will between the two countries"—was introduced in the Senate.

MOHAIR BRINGS TOP PRICE
Jake Schwartz, of Uvalde, sold 45,000 pounds of grown mohair for 58 cents per pound, said to be the highest price paid in Texas this year for mohair.

RARE \$1 BILL
F. Ibsch, 2202 Yale, Houston grocer, is the owner of a \$1 bill bearing an engraving of Martha Washington. The bill is said to be one of four outstanding and is very rare. It is of a series of 1886.

250-ACRE BEAN FIELD
Gardeners who plant small patches of beans are pikers compared to H. (Red) Riley who recently harvested a 250-acre bean crop near Devine, (Medina county). Mr. Riley employed 600 pickers to gather the crop which he sold to a big cannery.

HOTEL PAYS CHURCH EXPENSES
Bethel Temple, a Dallas church, has no worries about bills. A top floor apartment hotel rent pays all expenses. The idea was the Rev. Albert Ott's, who built the apartment. The church under his guidance increased its membership from 50 to 1,500 in three years.

DIME-A-DAY DIET
University of Texas nutritionists have developed a diet that supplies the necessary food value, offers variety in menus, and keeps the grocery bill to 70 cents a week. The diets, menus, and recipes will be distributed through welfare agencies to low income families.

SHE TEACHES MEN TO FLY
Pretty Florine Miller is doing her share in the United States defense program by teaching the menfolks how to fly. The 20-year-old former Baylor University student is ground instructor at Odessa in the CAA-approved advanced flying school where her students are engineers, physicians, drilling contractors, geologists, and a lawyer.

29 IN SENATORIAL RACE
Twenty-nine candidates have officially entered their names in the race for U. S. Senator to succeed the late Morris Sheppard. The Democratic party is represented by 25 names; the Republican party 2; the Independent party 1, and the Communist party 1.

ENTERED CAVE TO KILL LION
Guy West, predatory animal hunter, went into a cave single-handed to kill one of the 11 mountain lions taken during the first quarter of 1941 in the San Antonio district, the Texas Predatory Animal Control Association reported.

\$100,000 YAM PLANT
After several months of negotiation, Texas Chemurgic Industries, Inc., of Dallas, announces that its first sweet potato dehydration unit and flour mill will be built in Bowie, (Montague county), with an estimated investment of \$100,000. The plant, to occupy a five-acre site and a brick building of 19,000 square feet, is expected to be in operation by next August.

GIANT STRAWBERRY
Orange Leader: "A strawberry four inches in circumference, and being of proportionate size, was brought to Orange by Cliff Chesson from his Orangefield truck farm. The giant strawberry was about an average size of those being produced under favorable conditions this spring, Chesson said."

PICK MONEY OUT OF WIND
W. H. Fryer, attorney, and J. C. Breaker, bookkeeper, were walking along a downtown street in El Paso when they espied some money being blown along by a stiff breeze. They stooped down to pick it up. Fryer picked up \$25 and Breaker \$40 in U. S. currency. They turned the money over to the police department for identification.

4 PERFECT BRIDGE HANDS
Brownsville Herald: "Mrs. J. L. Young, Jr., of Dallas, opened the bidding at two on her 13 clubs, just to see how the rest of the bridge power lay. It was concentrated. Mrs. S. C. Stephenson came up with all of the diamonds, Mrs. Arthur Voelkel with all of the hearts, and Mrs. Betty Downs with a perfect hand in spades."

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A LITTLE FUN Jokes to Make You Laugh

Doubly Difficult
First hobo: "It's sure a tough world, isn't it, brother?"
Second hobo: "I'll say. A pessimist won't give you a dime and an optimist hasn't got any."

Cheers for Willie!
"Who gave the bride away?"
"Her little brother, Willie. He stood right up in the middle of the ceremony and yelled, 'Hurray, Louise, you've got him at last!'"

Singing
"Here's a story in the paper which says it has been discovered that singing warms the blood."
"That may be true, but I've heard lots of singing that made the blood run cold."

Downfall
"The teacher tells me you are at the foot of the spelling class again."
"Yes'm."
"And how did that happen?"
"Got too many z's in scissors."

Just One More
"Daddy, may I ask you a question?"
"Yes—son—just one more and that'll be all for tonight—what is it?"
"If a doctor is doctoring a doctor does the doctor doing the doctoring have to doctor the doctor the way the doctor being doctored wants to be doctored, or does the doctor doctoring the doctor, doctor the way he wants to doctor the doctor?"

Reforming the Bull
A man driving through the country noticed a farmer with a bull hitched to the plow. Stopping his car, he said to the farmer: "You have a beautiful farm here and everything looks prosperous and I am wondering why you don't have a tractor to do your farm work."
"We have two tractors in the barn."
"Then why in the world have you got your cultivator hitched to a bull?"
"I'm just trying to teach this bull there is something in life besides romance."

Sizeable Dress
Customer: "I want a dress to wear around the house."
Clerk: "Certainly, madam. How big around is the house?"

Profitable Cross
"As a farmer," said Farmer Smith "I claim to have a valuable hen. I crossed a rooster and a hen and as a result I have a chicken now that not only lays an egg, but also says 'come and get it.'"


Chemistry's Worst
A group in the Signal Corps was discussing the trend of the present war.
It was generally agreed that the research chemists would play an increasingly important part in the future.
"Bah!" grunted an old soldier. "Chemists will never produce anything more dangerous than wot they 'ave already."
"What's that?"
"Blondes!"

Poultry News Tips From a Poultryman

Chickens on Farms
An announcement by Vergil D. Reed, Acting Director of the Census Bureau of the results of the 1940 survey shows that of the 6,096,799 farms in the U. S., 5,180,495 farms had 437,949,145 chickens on hand on April 1, 1940, compared with 378,878,281 ten years earlier. Chicken production in the year previous totaled 660,365,663, a reduction from the 673,092,052 raised ten years before, despite a population increase of nearly nine million.

Eggs Produced
Eggs produced in 1939 totaled 2,391,091,510 dozens compared with 2,689,719,158 in 1929. The 1939 egg production was at the rate of over 18 dozen per capita of population.

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The Eyes Have It
Jones: "A cinder got in my wife's eye last week and she had to see a doctor. It cost me \$3."
Brown: "That's nothing. A fur coat got into my wife's eye and it cost me \$300."

Forethought
The young negro recruit was the victim of so many practical jokes that he doubted all men and their motives. One night while he was on guard, the figure of one of the officers loomed up in the darkness.
"Who goes dar?" he challenged.
"Major Moses," replied the officer.
The young negro scented a joke.
"Glad to meet yuh, Mr. Moses," he said cheerfully, "advance and gib de ten commandments."

Awful Suspense
A man put up at a hotel, and the clerk warned him that the man in the room below was very nervous. When the man went to his room he thoughtlessly threw his shoe down very hard. Then he happened to think of the poor nervous cuss, so he laid the other shoe down very gently. He went to bed and about two hours later he heard a rap at the door. He asked who it was, and the nervous man said: "For heaven's sake, throw that other shoe down, will you?"

Editor's Note
The typographical error is a slippery thing and shy; You can hunt till you get dizzy, but it somehow will get by. Till the forms are off the press it is strange how still it keeps; It shrinks down into a corner, and it never stirs or peeps. That typographical error, too small for human eyes, Till the ink is on the paper, when it grows to mountain size. The boss, he stares with horror, then he grabs his hair and groans; The copy reader drops his head upon his hands and moans— The remainder of the issue may be clean as clean can be. But that typographical error is the only thing you see.

Protection
"Is this the Fidelity Insurance Company?"
"Yes, ma'm. What can we do for you?"
"I want to arrange to have my husband's fidelity insured."

War Dream Too Realistic
Three Italian bombers encountered a British aircraft and were shot down into the sea.
The crews, numbering 12 in all, were picked up by a British battleship and put to bed in the spare top bunks.
Next morning, when the captain inspected them, he found they were bruised black and blue.
"Hey, what's happened to these prisoners?" he inquired.
"Well, sir," explained a sailor, "one of them kept saying 'Spitfire, Spitfire,' in his sleep. And every time he said 'Spitfire,' the other 11 bailed out."

Tips From a Poultryman
At 25 cents per dozen, the value of the annual egg crop alone would be nearly 600 million dollars, in addition to the cash value of the more than 660 million chickens raised.

Tips From a Poultryman
Make arrangement now to have an adequate supply of succulent green feed for chicks and hens for the rest of the year.

Be sure your birds are free from body lice this summer.

The successful poultryman is already busy on plans to have an ample supply of corn for his flock next fall and winter.
It is essential that you use a good high grade commercial mash for your baby chicks; allow two pounds of feed for each chick for the first six weeks. Later on make your growing mash by using 200 pounds of yellow corn meal and 100 pounds of 26 per cent supplement.

The shift from home to commercial hatching seems to be continuing, Washington authorities announce. Farmers' spring intentions indicate that 9 per cent more chicks will be purchased in 1941 than in 1940.

In setting a hen be sure she is free from lice and mites. Dust her well with sodium fluoride when the first eggs are placed under her.

Sodium fluoride is the best remedy for getting rid of lice, but it may kill baby chicks. Don't dust the hen at hatching time or when she is carrying young chicks.

For head lice on chicks, use a small dab of lard on the head of each chick, but don't use too much. Greasing the whole head sometimes causes the death of the chick.

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DAY AND NIGHT BOMBING OVER LONDON

People in London have got used to being bombed, and the attitude of 95 per cent of the population is that unless a bomb has got your name on it you won't be hit, and that if it has you won't know you were hit. At first, during the daylight raids of last autumn, the big department stores would close when the sirens sounded and people would either go home or down into one of the innumerable shelters that exist in every street. But now daylight raids have virtually ceased; because of the Royal Air Force the big German bombers don't dare put in an appearance in daytime.

The answer to the night-bomber has yet to be found. The raiders fly high, usually at 20,000 feet or more, and once they know they are over London they just drop their loads of high-explosive and incendiary bombs indiscriminately. A few raiders are brought down by anti-aircraft fire or by night fighters, but as far as the people of London are concerned there is nothing they can do about night-bombing except take just what is coming to them, and they certainly take it with marvelous spirit.

London covers an area of 443,455 acres, less than one-seventh of which is actually built up. There are more than a million buildings of all kinds, and of these no less than 825,000 are private

dwelling houses with land attached.

The only parts of London built up solid are the city, embracing 677 acres, less than 300 of which are covered by buildings. Here about two bombs out of every five have found a mark. Then there is the West End with its theater district around Piccadilly Circus and the shopping center along Regent street and Oxford street. Here about one bomb out of three or four has scored a hit. But taking London as a whole, it can truthfully be said that not more than 15 per cent of the bombs dropped have fallen on buildings; 85 per cent have landed in the parks, open spaces, streets and gardens, breaking the glass in the neighborhood, blowing in a few front doors, but doing little real damage. So much for the high-explosive bombs. But for one of these sometimes as many as a hundred incendiaries are dropped. They weigh just over two pounds apiece, and if one falls on a house it may start a fire. But fire fighting has been carried to such perfection that very few fires actually get started, and those that do are quickly brought under control. Any man, woman or child with the lid of a dustpan or a small sack half filled with sand can cover the incendiary and put it out. And sacks of sand are ready on every floor of every building, at every front door, at every lamp-post, in every omnibus, everywhere.

The loss of life has been more serious than the destruction of property. When the war started London had a population of about 8,200,000, but the evacuation of children, the aged and infirm and the departure of the idle rich to their country estates

have reduced the population to about 6,000,000. Since August 12, 1940, almost exactly 30,000 civilians, mostly women and children, have been killed; nearly 40,000 have been seriously wounded and taken to hospitals and many thousands more have sustained slight injuries that no one ever bothers to report. Let us say there have been 100,000 casualties of all kinds. That is nothing like what was expected. The government had prepared 150,000 beds for hospital cases, and these have averaged only about 5,000 a month. The highest number in any one month was in September, 1940, when 10,615 persons were taken to hospitals. At the present rate it would take the Germans more than ten years to kill one-twelfth of the population.

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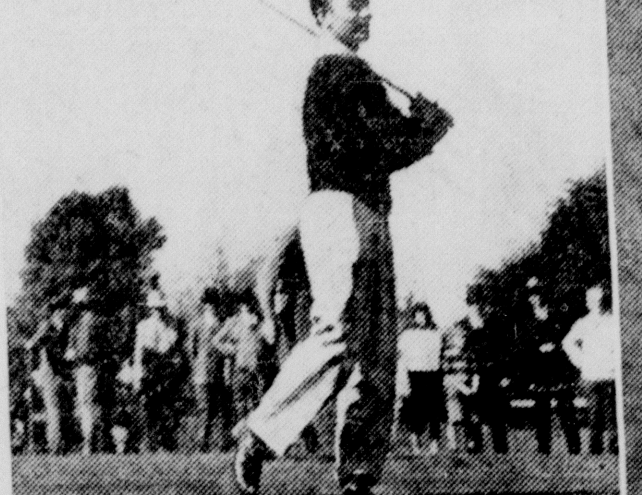
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TEXAS FARM NEWS REPORTS

Approximately a quarter of a million evergreens have been planted in the shelter belts of Northwest Texas.

To protect the East Texas commercial timber belt from fire, the Texas Forest Service maintains 72 look-out towers.

Dairy officials point out that a cow must eat 100 pounds or more of grass daily to produce 20 to 25 pounds of milk.

Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, Extension Service clothing specialist, reports 3,212 4-H club girls in Texas spent an average of \$16.97 on clothing during a recent 12-month period.

An egg within an egg is not as much a novelty as it used to be, but when the outer shell contains four yolks besides the second egg, that's news. Bud Lindsley, of Uvalde, (Uvalde county), owns the White Leghorn that laid the egg.

Texas bankers helped 40,521 farmers and ranchers with farm inventories, farm accounts, credit statements, and farm budgets during 1940, according to a report sent out by the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates a Texas wheat crop of 47,614,000 bushels as of May 1, which is 62 per cent larger than the 1940 crop of 29,355,000 bushels. Oat crop is reported 81 per cent of normal.

Nearly 300,000 mattresses—292,958 to be exact—have been delivered to Texas farm families under the Department of Agriculture's cotton mattress demonstration program. The cotton comfort program is now well under way also, and several thousand comforts are being made each month, say official reports.

Carlton Terry, blond sprinter of Southwestern track meets who has equalled and bettered the world record in the 100-yard dash, is ready to credit a pair of cowboy boots he started wearing in grade school with making him into the habit of walking and running on his toes. This helped him overcome his handicap of flat feet and built up his foot muscles.

Farmer Henry Koehler, Sr., living near Kenedy, (Karnes county), grew a 13-pound radish of the "white giant" variety. It measured 18 inches in length and 7 inches around.

To protest the low return farmers realize on agricultural products, more than 500 farmers and a hundred girls paraded through the streets of Decatur, (Wise county), in abbreviated trousers and shirts symbolic of the way the farmer's buying power has been reduced.

Balanced farming programs have brought more livestock to Texas blackland counties. In 1925 these counties had 6.8 per cent of the State's total; in 1935 they had 8.7 per cent; and it is estimated 1940 Census Bureau figures will show 9.5 per cent.

A number of farmers in the Pottsboro community, (Grayson county), have reported the death of cows recently from undetermined causes. Several farmers have lost as high as four in one night. One explanation advanced was that possibly a condition of grass due to lack of sunshine was responsible.

Announcement has been made by the Extension Service of A. & M. College that the week beginning Sunday, July 13 through Friday, July 18 has been selected as the period for the 1941 Farmers' Short Course at the College. The Short Course is an annual event, and several nationally known men, including Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard, are expected to be present.

The State Fair of Texas plans to enlarge its dairy show for the 1941 exposition. Texas dairy leaders are co-operating in the formation of these plans, it is said.

The Texas agricultural experiment station has begun five research projects on the utilization of commercial feeds in growing, fattening and finishing livestock and poultry for market, according to a recent report.

Poultry raisers who have never figured their costs will be amazed at the "Progressive Report for July of the 14th Georgia National Egg Laying Test" which shows that it costs approximately 18c to feed a hen during a single month.

Lee Billingsley, hog buyer at Lamesa, (Dawson county), recently purchased a 3-year-old Duroc that weighs more than the average baby beef show calf. The hog, Red Rex, weighs no less than 1,200 pounds, stands 47 inches high and is nearly 9 feet long.

A Texas bean growing wild in Denton county, usually in a dense thicket and attaining a height of 5 to 8 feet, is being studied as a source of protein and vegetable oil by Gilbert C. Wilson, industrial research chemist.

About 200,000 turkey eggs have been shipped for sale to northern hatcheries from Brady, (McCulloch county), and it is expected that more than 500,000 eggs will be sold by the local co-operative by the end of the heavy laying season.

Top Row, saddle horse show winner from Pinehurst stables near Orange, (Orange county), enjoys a daily Pepsi "coke" which he drinks right out of the bottle, says his trainer, Jonny Rogers.

Mrs. Alice Weldon, of the Pert community, (Anderson county), sold her setting hen by mistake, but rigged up an old kerosene lamp and "incubated" the unhatched eggs with heat from the candlewick. Fourteen motherless chicks hatched out of 16 eggs for a batting average of .875.

Thirty-eight thoroughbred Jersey, Holstein and Brown Swiss cattle purchased at A. & M. College have been shipped to Nicaragua where they will be used for breeding purposes to improve Nicaraguan livestock. Special feed was taken aboard the ship, and a veterinarian will travel with the animals.

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Marjorie A. Hazlett, Smicksburg, Pa., was one of a dozen co-ed milkmaids who competed and won a prize in a milking contest at Pennsylvania State College. She's a freshman in home economics.

When a Midland county farmer, 65-year-old M. D. Long, continued abed from an illness, his neighbors pooled their equipment—26 tractors and a team of horses—and prepared his 270 acres for spring planting. The job was completed in four hours.

An all-purpose mash prepared by senior poultry students at Texas Technological College reduced the mortality rate on 207 baby chicks in the Tech flock to less than 4 per cent. Expected mortality rate is 10 per cent after chicks are placed under a brooder, Professor J. D. Strickland said. The ration mixed by students is as follows: Twenty pounds each of corn and wheat; 10 pounds each of oats, barley and finely ground green alfalfa; 11 pounds of wheat bran; 5 pounds each of meat and bone scraps; sardel, and cottonseed meal; 2 pounds of calcium carbonate; and 1 pound each of salt and cod liver oil.

Tomorrow's fresh orange juice may be five years old. Experiments reported at a University of Texas food conservation parley indicate that quick-frozen orange juice retains its flavor five years.

Under the 1940 conservation materials program of the AAA, Texas farmers received 228 tons of triple superphosphate and 60,000 pounds of Austrian winter peas, according to official report.

Upshur county people recently benefitted from a novel plant and shrub exchange. Residents reached through the county newspapers, home demonstration and 4-H clubs brought their spare shrubs to a central place where all were segregated according to kind and variety. A person was allowed to take home as many plants as he brought to the exchange. Directions were given for labelling the plants and taking them up carefully.

T. F. Wortham, fruit grower north of McAllen, (Hidalgo county), has a naval orange he believes is about as big as anything produced this season. It weighs three pounds, and its circumference is 18 inches.

Cattle prices are expected to rise, according to the Department of Agriculture at Washington. Department forecasts are for a bright outlook this year for Texas livestock growers. The present value of Texas cattle is at \$31.60 a head, a rise over last year's value of \$29.90 a head.

Wood county farmers report their strawberry crop the heaviest in many years. Growers and buyers are happy over the size of the crop and the quality of the berries. This year's harvest is the first gathered on many farms since the severe drouth a year ago that killed most of the berries.

Modern music owes much to the sure-gaited Texas cowpony whose hoof-beats rhythmically stirred up dust on the prairies, a Texas Christian University professor says. "Rhythms of many songs have been devised—probably quite unconsciously—to fit the gaits of the horse," Dr. Newton Gaines explains.

Announcement has been made by a West Texas cotton oil company of its experiments with a new kind of feed production. The company has purchased 1,300 tons of peanuts, and is now processing the nuts into peanut meal and pellets. The hulls are also reduced to a filler feed that, when mixed with other feeds, makes a good dairy ration as well as a good filler.

Dee Davenport, of the D D ranch northwest of Mission, (Hidalgo county), reports a yield of huge stock beets the largest of which weighed 27 pounds and the smallest 25 pounds. The yield was about 80 tons to the acre, Mr. Davenport has estimated.

Joe Lawhorn, of Heidenheimer, (Bell county), added an extra element to a feed he was mixing which proved to be a most costly mixture. Leaning over a mash in his feed mill, a \$5 bill and several \$1 bills fell out of his pocket into the mixture and were ground to bits.

Cattle importations through the ports of Eagle Pass, Laredo and Del Rio during the first 3 months of 1941 totaled 31,854, Harry P. Hornby, customs collector of the Laredo district, reports. Eagle Pass ranked first in importations, Laredo second and Del Rio third.

Cotton loans made by the Commodity Credit Corporation on the 1940-41 crop in Texas amounted to \$77,640,143.88. Of this amount \$28,476,125.98 had been repaid on April 14, and loans outstanding on that date aggregated \$49,164,017.90, according to CCC tabulations.

Art Wintheiser, of Big Spring, (Howard county), "flew herd" in his airplane on 1,500 beeves, bound for a Raton, N. M., buyer. The cattle drive covered 25 miles to market, and Wintheiser dropped notes to the flanking riders so they could locate strays. The herd came from the Bar-J ranch, owned by Tom Good.

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Any owner, landlord, tenant or sharecropper on a farm which qualifies for a cotton order stamp payment, may also qualify to earn a cash payment of \$3 by carrying out a designated practice designed to improve and increase food production and storage for home use, according to information received from AAA.

From a one-year-old strawberry plot Mrs. Will Sitton, member of the Wood Springs, (Smith county), home demonstration club, has sold ten crates for \$20, besides using two or three crates for family consumption during the past month. Mrs. Sitton accounts for the good yield because she mulched her strawberry plants early.

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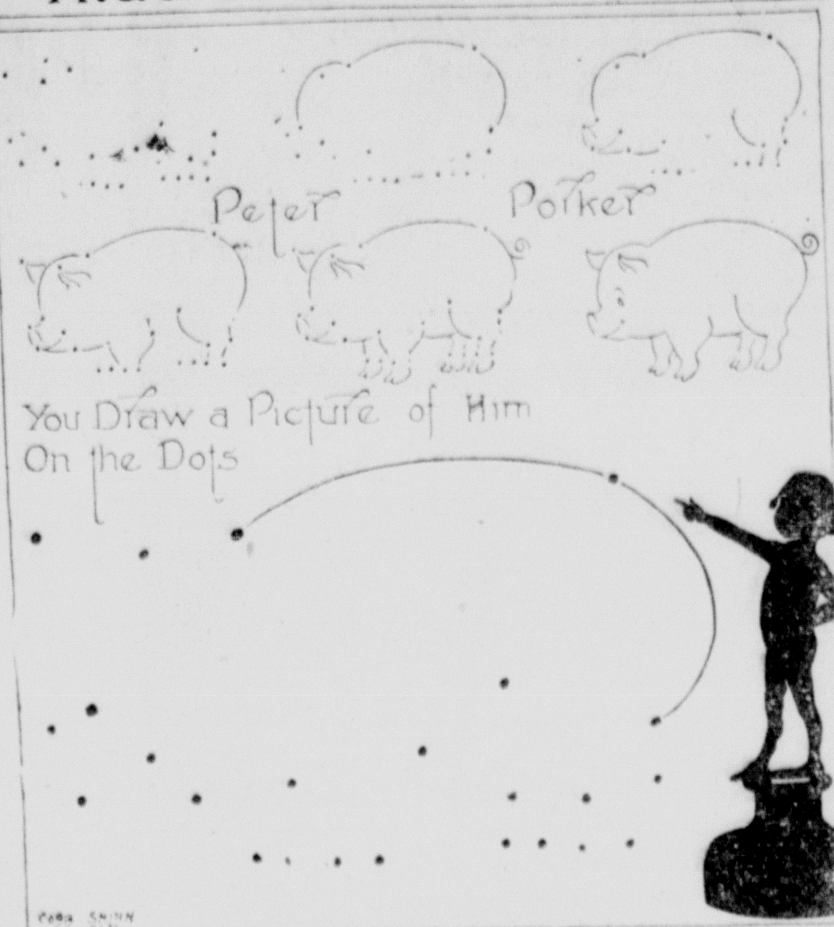
To graduating youth I can only say—roll up your sleeves, tackle any job with determination and despise not the counsel of the gods. There is much work to be done in this old world—work that shall take brave hearts, clear minds and a will to do. Is graduating youth willing to meet the challenge?

This is to express my congratulations and best wishes for success to all 1941 graduates.

With love,
(Signed) AUNT MARY.

Kiddies-Can-Do-It

By Uncle Cobb Shinn



ON the larger dots you try to make the picture of Peter Porker. Study the little pictures very carefully so you can tell just how much to curve each line as you draw from dot to dot. After you have completed this picture, try and draw Peter Porker without the aid of the dots.

LEGENDARY HEROES

The Childhood of Rustem

There was never in the world such a child as Rustem, the son of Zal. He was fed with the milk of ten nurses; and when he was weaned, his food was bread and meat, and he ate as much as five men. As for strength and stature, they were such as never had been seen before or will be seen again.

One day while sleeping he was awakened outside his door by a great cry that the king's white elephant had broken its chain and was at liberty, and that the inhabitants of the palace were fearful and in danger. Quickly Rustem seized his grandfather's club and prepared to go out. The attendants tried to stop him, "We dare not incur your father's rage," they said, "by opening the door. The night is dark, the elephant has broken his chain, and yet you are going out. What folly is this!" Rustem was angry to be so hindered, and struck the man who spoke so terrible a blow between the head and neck that his head fell off. When he turned to the others they immediately made way for him. Then, striking the door with his club, he burst the bolts and bars with a single blow. This done, he laid the club upon his shoulder and hastened after the elephant. As for Zal's warriors, they were all as afraid of the beast as a lamb is afraid of a wolf. When the furious beast saw Rustem it rushed at him, lifting its trunk ready to strike. Rustem gave the elephant one blow, for only one blow was necessary. The huge animal's legs sank down, it fell heavily, and was dead in a few minutes.

Rustem returned to his room and finished his sleep.

The next day, Zal, hearing what his son had done, sent for him and praised him highly. "My son," he said, "you are but a child, and yet there is no one to match you in courage, stature and strength. I have a bold task for you to accomplish. Many years ago my grandfather was sent by the king to take an enchanted fortress which is situated upon Mount Suspend. He attacked and laid siege to the fortress, but was finally killed by one of the defenders. After this my father, San, assembled an army, and marched against the fortress. But he could never find it. San wandered for years over the deserts looking for the fortress, and was obliged at last to return without having avenged his father's death. Now, my son, it is your turn. Go in disguise, the keepers of the fort will not know you, and when you have made your way into the fortress destroy the keepers, root and branch."

"I will do it," said Rustem. Zal went on: "Disguise yourself as a camel-driver. Pretend that you are coming in from the desert, and that you have a cargo of salt with you. There is nothing in that country that they value more than salt. Let them once hear that this is what you are bringing, and great and small will welcome you."

Rustem gladly undertook this dangerous business. He took his great club with him that he had used to slay the white elephant; he also took loads of salt. Aware of the great task that lay before him, he chose a number of trusty companions who were prudent as well as brave.

Their arms were hidden in loads of salt. They searched diligently and at last found the fort, which they approached cautiously. The keeper of the gate saw Rustem and his men from a distance, and ran to the prince, saying: "A caravan with a number of camel-drivers has arrived. If you ask me for what purpose they have come I should say that, in my opinion, they have salt to sell."

Accordingly the prince sent a messenger to the master of the caravan, to ask him what his packages contained.

Rustem said: "Go back, and tell your master that I have salt in my packages."

The prince received this message in great joy and ordered the gate to be thrown open. Rustem with his camels and their drivers, all the packages which they had with them, all entered the fortress. Rustem was courteously greeted by the prince, and courteously greeted the prince in return. Then he made his way to the bazaar, taking his camel-drivers with

him. People crowded around the caravan with their gold and silver, eager to purchase the salt. There was no thought of fear or suspicion in the hearts of any of them. When night came on, Rustem carried out his plan of attack. First, he fell upon the prince and leveled him to the ground with a single blow of his club. Then he struck down the prince's bodyguard. No one in the fortress could stand before him and his trusty men. When morning came, the whole fortress was in the hands of Rustem.

In the middle of the fortress was a building of stone with a gate of iron. Rustem gave a blow of his club and the gate fell open before him. Within there was a great vaulted hall, full of gold pieces and pearls. There never was such a sight of riches in all the world.

Rustem sent a message to his father to tell him of his victory, and to ask him what he should do.

Zal wrote back: "You have subdued your enemies, now set fire to the fortress and the great wealth; it can bring you only misery. Men fight and die for gold. It would bring you only the envy of your friends and the menace of your enemies. Return with the salt; it is far more precious than the gold."

All this Rustem did while he was yet a child. (Selected by permission from 'The Children's Hour,' published by Houghton Miffling Co.)

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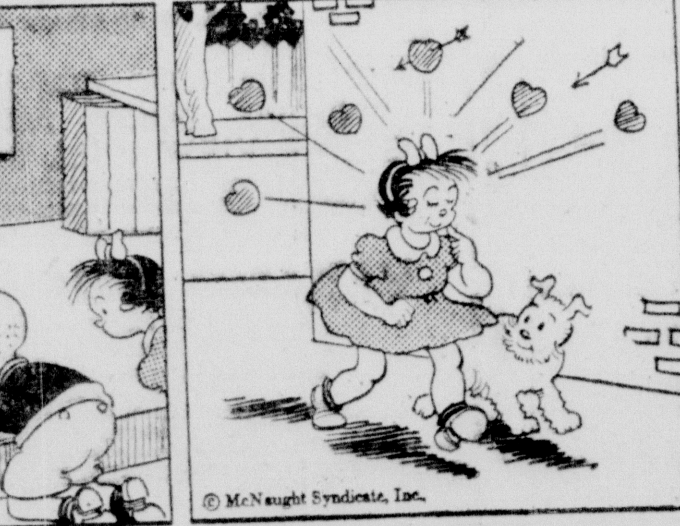
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FAST CHANGES IN FEMININE FASHIONS

The war has brought many changes in feminine fashion. Foreign fashion dictators no longer dominate American fashions. American designers have supplanted foreign designers and are setting the pace for American styles.

For early spring styles shoulders and sleeves took the spotlight and continue to do so well into the summer sheer frocks. Shoulders are more smoothly rounded in appearance than last year. Armholes are deeper and there are raglan and dolman cuts. Contrary to popular prejudice, these new shoulders do not give a droopy, narrow look. They actually appear more feminine and are still sufficiently broad. There is a different technique of cutting the shoulders and sleeves that does the trick.

For something new and different in berets, there is one called the "tray beret." It is mounted on a calot and is worn absolutely straight on the head. The very essence of America personified is in the bonnet-touque that is worn far behind pompadours. Nearly all types of spring and summer hats are smothered in veiling. It isn't the timid attempt of last year's veiling, either. Many not only cover the hat, but are draped to tie under the chin.

Plain colors seem to hold the preference and they are both conservative and dramatic. Black is still important, but navy will be far more popular. Dark colors are ensembled with white accessories and made dressy by the addition of a giddy hat. Shades of violet are sweeping the country. They range from soft purple tones to bright hues. Beige ensembles

are more important than ever, and are shown with crisp white accessories of brown, green and violet.

From boutonnieres to handbags, women will wear plastics this spring. The boutonnieres are blue or red plastic and the shoe bows are clear or amber color. The shirred bags are emerald green "Vinylite" and the plain envelope bag is clear plastic.

Flexible round strips of the plastic, manipulated under heat into spaghetti-sized strands, can be worked into even fancier and more sparkling flower clusters; crocheted and braided necklaces and bracelets also come plain or very decorative as the fancy desires.

Most heartening about all these plastics is the fact that many of them have gone down in price. Formerly they were found as trimmings on only the most expensive accessories. But now they are within reach of those dressing on a slim budget.

There is a basis outfit that will thrill the heart of all women. It consists of a dress trimly tailored which may be worn with numerous accessories. Then there is a precious rayon faille jacket of contrasting color when worn with the jacket. The combination of these three pieces are really endless. Light blue dress with navy jacket and skirt. Beige with toast brown. Wood violet with purple.

All in all it looks as though our own designers have accomplished a very fine "job" in dressing the American women. They are certainly smartly dressed and for the most part comfortable. Long live American ideals, say we all.

THE SUMMER TABLE

With the hot days of summer upon us, mother's problem of food is more complicated. How to supply proper nourishment, keep within a slim budget, and at the same time save her own self from over-fatigue—is the big problem.

In the great variety of vegetables we find many food problems that can be solved. Endless ways of fixing them help toward tempting the appetite.

If at all possible, arrange an outdoor living-room this year. The joy will far outweigh the trouble and small expense.

For those who can afford it, the stores offer a lovely variety of tables and chairs for this purpose. However, just as much fun can be had where a table and chairs are rescued

from the attic, painted one of the brighter outdoor colors and placed under a big tree or any other shady spot in the afternoon. Then use your imagination in arranging this festive spot. If a large basket is used to carry food and dishes to and from the table there is very little added work.

In spring you may have enjoyed some of the wild greens, such as dandelion and sorrel. Other greens are watercress, coslip, pokeweed and milkweed. Also lamb's quarter, purslane, field cress and many others appear on the list of greens in different localities.

If the greens should have roots or any wilted leaves—cut these off. Then wash the greens very thoroughly, through several changes of water. Always lift the greens from the water, and let the sand fall to the bottom.

When vegetables are served raw in a green salad or as a relish, most of the food value is retained. Use the vegetables as soon as possible after they are harvested. Refrigeration helps to keep them fresh.

If greens are to be cooked, put them in a covered saucepan. If the saucepan is thick enough for them to cook slowly, use just the water that clings to the leaves and have a very low fire under the pan. Cook until just tender. Otherwise, cook the greens quickly in small amounts of lightly salted boiling water. Leave the cover on the pan until the greens are wilted and then remove the cover to finish cooking. Season the greens lightly and dress them with butter and other fat.

Panning is another good way to cook greens—especially those with the pungent flavor. Melt some fat in a skillet, add

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the chopped greens. Cover the pan to keep in the steam, and cook slowly for 15 or 20 minutes, or until tender. Sprinkle a small amount of flour over the greens, mix well, and then pour in some milk or cream. Season with salt and pepper. These pan-fried greens will contain all the food value and flavor of garden vegetables.

There are many chances for the careless cook to lose some of the food values that she expects to get when she buys or grows vegetables. The more water she uses, the more likely she will throw away the vitamins and minerals that have been dissolved in the cooking process. If only a small amount of water is used it's easy to serve this liquid with the vegetable or to use it in sauces, soup or gravy. Adding soda to the cooking water to heighten the color of green vegetables will increase the loss of vitamin C and B1. Long boiling or much stirring while cooking may also increase the vitamin destruction, and sieving while hot has the same effect.

WE DINE

Pineapple Sherbert

- ¾ cup granulated sugar
- 1 ½ cup water
- 1 No. 2 can crushed pineapple
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon lemon extract
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup thin cream.

Mix sugar and water, simmer gently 10 minutes. Add pineapple juice and lemon extract. Chill and mix with 1 cup milk and 1 cup thin cream. Freeze in 2-quart freezer. Remove dasher. Pack in ice and salt for ½ hour after freezing. Sprinkle each portion with cinnamon or powdered cloves.

Bananas on French Toast

- 1 egg
 - ¾ cup milk
 - 1 teaspoon sugar
 - ¼ teaspoon salt
 - 6 slices bread
 - 4 to 6 bananas
 - Currant jelly.
- Beat egg slightly, add milk, sugar and salt. Dip slices of bread in this mixture and fry until golden brown in butter or in deep fat. Slice bananas and pile on each of fried bread. Dot with currant jelly and serve at once.

Chocolate Ice Box Torte

- 1 package Semi-Sweet chocolate
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 2½ tablespoons water
- 4 egg yolks
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 4 egg whites.
- 10 coconut wafer cookies, crushed.

Combine chocolate, sugar and water in top of double boiler. Place over boiling water and heat until blended, stirring constantly. Remove from fire. Cool. Add egg yolks, one at a time, beating thoroughly after each. Add vanilla. Chill. Fold into egg whites which have been beaten until stiff, but not dry. Line a 9-inch pie plate with ½ of crushed cookies. Fill with chocolate mixture. Top with remaining crushed cookies. Chill overnight in refrigerator. Serves 8 to 10.

Chocolate Fleck Cup Cakes

- 1 package Semi-Sweet chocolate
- 2¼ cups sifted cake flour
- 2¼ teaspoons double-acting baking powder
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup butter or other shortening
- 1 cup sugar
- 3 egg whites, unbeaten
- ¾ cup milk
- 1½ teaspoons vanilla.

Cut each small square of chocolate in 4 to 6 pieces. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together 3 times.



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Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg whites, one at a time, beating thoroughly after each. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Add chopped chocolate and vanilla. Turn into greased cup-cake pans, filling them 2/3 full. Bake in moderate oven (375° F) 20 minutes, or until done. Makes 30 medium cup cakes.

Note: Chocolate may be reduced to ½ package if coarsely chopped.

SEX RATIO

More boys than girls are always born. But when the world is at war the ratio of boys to girls is still higher. What influences sex ratio? There is no one answer. A new factor has been discovered by Dr. Phillip S. Lawrence (Johns Hopkins Hospital). He finds that if parents, especially mothers, are long-lived, the proportion of boys rises. Taking broad groups, when both parents died before they were 70, he finds that 46.7 per cent of the children and 50.4 per cent of the grandchildren were males, but that when both parents died at ages over 70 the corresponding percentages were 52.4 and 52.3. Dr. Lawrence thinks that this is evidence of biological fitness, in other words that the constitutional vitality of parents may determine sex ratio and influence the frequency of reproductive wastage so that more males are brought into the world.

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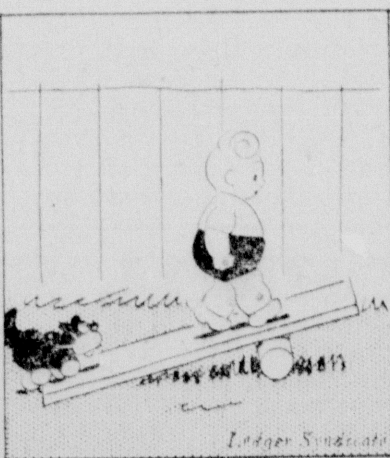
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